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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1933.
HORACE J. BAUM, Term expires 1934.
ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1935.

Board of Public Welfare,
Board of Health and Fence Viewers.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN, HORACE J. BAUM,
ASA A. WESTCOTT.

Town Clerk.

FRANK EDMANDS.

Treasurer.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.

Tax Collector.

EUGENE S. NEWHALL.

Auditor.

S. WALTER BATTY.

Assessors.

WARREN W. DUTCHER, Term expires 1933.
*WM. W. KNIGHTS, Term expires 1934.
GEORGE W. LUNT, Term expires 1935.

School Committee.

HAMILTON W. THAYER, Term expires 1933.
G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1934.
HENRIETTA LAPWORTH, Term expires 1935.

* Deceased December 22, 1932.

Trustees of Public Library.

WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1933.
HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1934.
ANNA M. BANCROFT, Term expires 1935.

Road Commissioners.

RAYMOND SMETHURST, Term expires 1933.
THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD., Term expires 1934.
G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1935.

Park Commissioners.

L. MARSHALL NEWELL, Term expires 1933.
RICHARD HEYWOOD, Term expires 1934.
FRANK S. CLARK, Term expires 1935.

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, Term expires 1933.
CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1934.
FRANK A. LAPWORTH, Term expires 1935.

Constables.

ARCHIBALD E. BECK, WINTHROP A. REED,
SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, ASA A. WESTCOTT,
LEWIS W. BARROWS.

Tree Warden.

FRANK S. CLARK.

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN.

Finance Committee.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., Term expires 1933.
B. H. BRISTOW DRAPER, Term expires 1933.
WALLACE I. STIMPSON, Term expires 1933.

EBEN S. DRAPER, Term expires 1934.
G. RUSSELL GOFF, Term expires 1934.
CHARLES F. AUSTIN, Term expires 1934.

CHARLES F. BUTTERWORTH, Term expires 1935.
HARRY A. BILLINGS, Term expires 1935.
ASA A. WESTCOTT, Term expires 1935.

Engineers of Fire Department.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.
FRED G. CROCKETT, 1st Assistant.
WILLIAM E. WHITNEY, 2nd Assistant.

Registrars of Voters.

HENRY MARKHAM, Term expires 1933.
WALTER E. BURKE, Term expires 1934.
CHARLES A. FORSTER, Term expires 1935.
FRANK EDMANDS, Clerk.

Police Officers.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG, Chief.

WM. H. BARNEY,
HORACE J. BAUM,
ALBERT E. BONIN,
W. E. BURKE,
W. FRED BURRILL,
F. S. CLARK,
WILLIAM COLE,
M. F. DOXEY,
GEO. E. DRAPER,
WALTER F. DURGIN,
FRED ELKINS,
W. E. ESTES,
REUBEN J. EVANS,
GEORGE A. FULLER,
JOS. W. GIBBS,
EUGENE F. HALL,
LEON R. HAMMOND,
JOHN H. HOLBROOK,
GEO. W. JENKINS,
ASA H. JONES,
ALFRED W. LAMB,
DAVID L. LESCOE,
ROSWELL L. LOOK,
THOMAS MACNEVIN,
MILLARD J. MACUEN,
THOS. F. MALLOY,
ELBERT W. MARSO,
THOMAS MCDONALD,
ALBERT J. NEWELL,
E. A. PARKINSON,
W. N. PRENTISS,
E. A. SHERMAN,
JOHN SMART,
W. E. SWEET,
ROY E. WESTCOTT,
AUSTIN L. WHITNEY,
GEORGE WILSON,
T. S. WILSON.

Dog Officer.

LEWIS W. BARROWS.

Lock-up Keeper.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

Forest Warden.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG.

Superintendent of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Extermination.

FRANK S. CLARK.

Measurers of Lumber.

BENJAMIN L. HODGSON, JOHN R. BELL.

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

WM. H. BARNEY, WALTER F. DURGIN, ROY E. WESTCOTT,
FRANK S. CLARK, ASA A. WESTCOTT, IRVING R. EATON,
REUBEN J. EVANS.

Public Weighers.

WM. H. BARNEY, JOHN L. ENOS, ROY E. WESTCOTT,
WM. M. COLE, M. AGNES CONLIN, PETER G. LEGER,
IRVING R. EATON, ASA A. WESTCOTT, EDWARD N. KINSLEY,
JOSEPH ROSENFELD, REUBEN J. EVANS, EDWARD J. HAGENAY.

Weighers of Coal.

WM. H. BARNEY, REUBEN J. EVANS, IRVING R. EATON.
M. AGNES CONLIN, WM. M. COLE,

Field Drivers.

HAMBLET B. DEWING, CHARLES H. HALLIER,
ASA A. WESTCOTT.

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering.

ALFRED W. LAMB.

Inspector of Kerosene.

ROY E. WESTCOTT.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.
LEWIS W. BARROWS, ARTHUR E. FRANCIS.

Town Counsel.
WENDELL WILLIAMS.

Burial Agent of Deceased Soldiers and Sailors.
WILLIAM R. STEARNS.

Agent of Board of Health to Sign Burial Permits.
FRANK EDMANDS.

APPOINTED BY ASSESSORS.

Assistant Assessors.
ALTA L. LUNT, GRACE B. MACUEN.

APPOINTED BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Superintendent of Schools.
CARROLL H. DROWN.

Truant Officers.

LEWIS W. BARROWS,
JOSEPH W. GIBBS,
JOHN H. HOLBROOK,
SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,
ERNEST A. PARKINSON,
WINTHROP A. REED,
WILBUR E. SWEET.

School Nurses.
HELEN GRADY, R. N.
MILDRED SALMOND, R. N.

APPOINTED BY PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Librarian.
MADELEINE R. BURRILL.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Town Records.
1932.

TOWN WARRANT.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, on Monday, the seventh day of March next, punctually at 9.00 o'clock in the forenoon (the polls may be closed at 1 o'clock in the afternoon on said day of meeting), to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, including the following officers: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Selectman for two years to fill vacancy, one Road Commissioner for three years, Assessor for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, five Constables, one Trustee of Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the report of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate or appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, such sum or

sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer of any balance in the overlay account in excess of the amount remaining to be collected or abated, to the reserve fund.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1933, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1933.

Article 8. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate two hundred and forty dollars ($240) toward defraying the expenses of Memorial Day.

Article 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of money refunded from the county on account of the dog tax.

Article 10. To see what compensation the Town will allow the Collector of Taxes for his services.

Article 11. To see what date, if any, not later than October 15th, the Town will fix upon which taxes shall be payable.

Article 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 13. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to be expended for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Mrs. Frank J. Dutcher, in behalf of the family of the late Frank J. Dutcher, a conveyance from her of a tract of land situated on the southerly side of Adin Street northerly of and adjoining the present General Draper High School property to be held by the Town upon condition that the same shall be used for school purposes or upon certain contingen-

cies for the purpose of a park, or take any other action with respect thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 26th day of February, A. D. 1932.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, March 7, 1932.

I have complied with the requirements of the Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.
Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING, MARCH 7, 1932.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall, and punctually at nine o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Clerk of said Town, who read the Warrant and under:

Article 1. Mr. Charles F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

Article 2. Voted: That the Town proceed to vote for all the necessary Town officers by ballot, all upon one ballot, namely Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, one Selectman for three years, one Selectman for two years to fill vacancy, one Road Commissioner for three years, Assessor for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, five Constables, one Trustee of the Public Library for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and one member of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds for three years.

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the report of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town be accepted as printed.

The report of the Finance Committee for this meeting was presented as follows:

March 7, 1932.

REPORT OF THE

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Moderator:

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held February 29, 1932, the question of appropriations to be considered at the Town Meeting to be held March 7, 1932, was considered, and Mr. G. Russell Goff, clerk of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting, the following recommendations as to appropriations to be made at that meeting:

Fire Department:

General	$8,500 00
New Hose	600 00
Brush Fires	200 00
Hydrant Service	4,920 00
Total	$14,220 00

Department of Public Welfare, including Old Age Assistance	$13,000 00
Plus income received from Welfare Department Trust Funds.	
Library Department	$2,700 00
Plus monies received from the County on account of the Dog Tax; as referred to in Article 9 of the Town Warrant, and also interest received from Library Trust Funds.	
School Department:	
General	$52,000 00
Highway Department:	
General and Sidewalk Repairs	$15,000 00
Street Lighting	4,800 00
Park Department:	
General	$3,500 00
Plus income received from Park Department Trust Funds.	
Incidental Department:	
General	$4,000 00
Insurance	2,300 00
Police	6,500 00
Board of Health	300 00
State Aid	230 00
Cemeteries	100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.	
Interest	1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief	1,650 00
Town Hall	3,200 00
Interest on Town Bonds	3,750 00
To Pay Maturing Town Bonds	7,000 00
Tree Warden	2,000 00
This amount to include the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths referred to in Article 13 of the Town Warrant.	

Memorial Day		240 00
This being the amount referred to in Article 8 of the Town Warrant, this appropriation to be divided as follows:		
Civil War	$100 00	
World War	100 00	
Spanish War	40 00	
Vocational School Tuition		1,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.		

It was further recommended by this committee that the sum of $5,000.00 be transferred from any balance in the overlay account to the account known as the reserve fund.

It was further recommended by this committee that the sum of $20,000.00 be appropriated from any funds available in the hands of the Town Treasurer including the Reserve fund and that the remainder of the appropriations be raised and appropriated at this Town Meeting.

It was further recommended by this committee that the Town accept as a gift from Mrs. Frank J. Dutcher a conveyance from her of a tract of land situated on the southerly side of Adin Street northerly of and adjoining the present General Draper High School property, as referred to in Article 14 of the Town Warrant.

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,
by G. Russell Goff,
Clerk of the Committee.

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the report of the Finance Committee as read by Mr. G. Russell Goff, the clerk of said Committee and to act upon the same item by item.

Article 4. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee, it was:

Voted: Unanimously that the Town raise and appropriate sums as follows:

Fire Department:	
General	$8,500 00
New Hose	600 00
Brush Fires	200 00
Hydrant Service	4,920 00
Total	$14,220 00
Department of Public Welfare, including Old Age Assistance.	
That the sum of $5,000.00 be appropriated from the reserve fund and that the sum of $5,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the Department of Public Welfare plus income received from Welfare Department Trust Funds also that the sum of $3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for Old Age Assistance.	
Library Department	$2,700 00
Plus monies received from the County on account of the Dog Tax, as referred to in Article 9 of the Town Warrant, and also interest received from Library Trust Funds.	
School Department:	
That the sum of $15,000.00 be appropriated from available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and that the sum of $37,000.00 be raised and appropriated all for the use of the School Department.	
Highway Department:	
General and Sidewalk Repairs	$15,000 00
Street Lighting	4,800 00
Park Department:	
General	3,500 00
Plus income received from Park Department Trust Funds.	
Incidental Department:	
General	4,000 00

Insurance		2,300 00
Police		6,500 00
Board of Health		300 00
State Aid		230 00
Cemeteries		100 00
Plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds.		
Interest		1,000 00
Soldiers' Relief		1,650 00
Town Hall		3,200 00
Interest on Town Bonds		3,750 00
To Pay Maturing Town Bonds		7,000 00
Tree Warden		2,000 00
This amount to include the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths referred to in Article 13 of the Town Warrant.		
Memorial Day		240 00
This being the amount referred to in Article 8 of the Town Warrant, this appropriation to be divided as follows:		
Civil War	$100 00	
World War	100 00	
Spanish War	40 00	
Vocational School Tuition		1,000 00
To be under the supervision of the School Committee.		

Article 5. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of $5,000.00 be transferred from any balance in the overlay account to the account known as the reserve fund.

Article 6. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1932, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year.

Article 7. Voted. Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is au-

thorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1933, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1933.

Article 8. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 9. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 10. Voted: Unanimously, that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the year 1932, be $400.00, all the expenses connected with the collection of taxes for the year 1932, to be borne by the Town, and paid from the appropriation for the Incidental Department.

Article 11. Voted: Unanimously, that all taxes be payable October 1st and bills for the same shall be sent out on or before that date, and that all taxes remaining unpaid after the expiration of eighteen days from said October 1st, shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from October 1st, and as otherwise provided by law.

Article 12. Voted: Unanimously, to authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 13. This was included and acted upon in Article 4.

Article 14.

Hopedale, Massachusetts,

February 25, 1932.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hopedale, Mass.:—

In behalf of the family of the late Frank J. Dutcher, I am prepared to convey as a gift to the Town of Hopedale, certain land situated on the southerly side of Adin Street, northerly of and adjoining the present General Draper High School property, to be held by the Town upon condition that the same shall be used for school purpose, or after the expiration of fifty years from the date of conveyance at the option of the Town the same may be used and maintained as a park.

This gift is made as a memorial to the late Frank J. Dutcher and conveyance will be made as soon as the Town

has taken action with regard to the acceptance of the aforesaid gift.

Very truly yours,

Martha M. Dutcher.

Mrs. Frank J. Dutcher,
34 Adin Street,
Hopedale,

After the reading of the above letter it was

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town does hereby accept as a gift from Mrs. Frank J. Dutcher, in behalf of the family of the late Frank J. Dutcher, the conveyance by her of certain land situated on the southerly side of Adin Street, northerly of and adjoining the present General Draper High School property, to be held by the Town upon condition that the same shall be used for school purposes, or after the expiration of fifty years from the date of conveyance at the option of the Town the same may be used and maintained as a park.

Be it further Voted: that the Town recognizes and fully appreciates the generous action of the donor in making this gift to the Town and that the clerk be instructed to transmit to Mrs. Frank J. Dutcher a copy of this vote.

Voted: That the polls be closed at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Punctually at one o'clock the warrant was dissolved and the polls were declared closed the ballots cast were counted and the result announced as follows.

There were 30 ballots cast for each of the following officers and the same were declared elected.

Town Clerk—Frank Edmands.
Treasurer—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.
Collector—Eugene S. Newhall.
Auditor—S. Walter Batty.
Selectman for Three Years—Asa A. Westcott.
Selectman for Two Years—Horace J. Baum.
Assessor for Three Years—George W. Lunt.
Road Commissioner for Three Years—G. Russell Goff.

School Committee for Three Years—Henrietta Lapworth.
Trustee of Town Library for Three Years—
Anna M. Bancroft.
Park Commissioner for Three Years—Frank S. Clark.
Commissioner of Trust Funds for Three Years—
Frank A. Lapworth.
Constables—Archibald E. Beck, Samuel E. Kellogg, Lewis W. Barrows, Asa A. Westcott, Winthrop A. Reed.
Tree Warden—Frank S. Clark.

Of the above named Town Officers the following were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

By the Moderator—Frank Edmands.

By the Town Clerk—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr., Eugene S. Newhall, S. Walter Batty, Asa A. Westcott, Horace J. Baum, George W. Lunt, G. Russell Goff, Henrietta Lapworth, Anna M. Bancroft, Frank S. Clark, Frank A. Lapworth, Archibald E. Beck, Samuel E. Kellogg, Lewis W. Barrows, Winthrop A. Reed.

Hopedale, Mass., April 4, 1932.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg and Town Clerk Frank Edmands met this day at the Draper Corporation office at 9.15 o'clock A. M., and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror Box the name of Louis E. Fisher, by occupation a Timekeeper to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court (second session) holden at Worcester for the transaction of civil business on Monday, the second day of May next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., April 4, 1932.

This is to certify that I have this day, appointed Mr. W. Frederic Burrill as Assistant Town Clerk, and that he duly qualified for said office.

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said Hopedale on Tuesday the twenty-sixth day of April, 1932, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

4 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

4 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

12 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

12 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 4th Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Conventon of the Republican Party, 4th Congressional District.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 4th Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 4th Congressional District.

The polls will be open from twelve noon to 6 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time

of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this thirteenth day of April, A. D. 1932.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Selectmen of Hopedale.

A true copy.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Wednesday, April 13, 1932.

Hopedale, April 26, 1932.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., April 26, 1932.

Pursuant to the Warrant properly posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified to vote in primaries, assembled in Town Hall, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of giving in their ballots to the Primary officers for the candidates as stated upon the Warrant.

At six o'clock the polls were declared closed the ballots cast were removed from the ballot box, sorted and counted by the tellers and counters, who had been previously sworn, and at 7.00 P. M. announcement was made as follows:

REPUBLICAN BALLOT (53 Cast).

DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Four.

Group (Hoover).

George F. Booth, Worcester	49
William M. Butler, Boston	49
Alvan T. Fuller, Malden	53
Mary Pratt Potter, Greenfield	49
Blanks	12

ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE—Vote for Four.

Group (Hoover).

Frank G. Allen, Norwood	51
Gaspar G. Bacon, Boston	50
Leverett Saltonstall, Newton	49
Louise M. Williams, Taunton	48
Blanks	14

DISTRICT DELEGATES FOURTH DISTRICT—Vote for Two.

Group (Herbert Hoover).

Mabel C. Batchelder, Worcester	49
George R. Stobbs, Worcester	50
Blanks	7

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES FOURTH DISTRICT—

Vote for Two.

Group (Herbert Hoover).

Charles B. Rugg, Worcester	52
Harry H. Daw, Grafton	50
Blanks	4

DEMOCRATIC BALLOT (10 Cast).

Delegates at Large—Vote for Twelve.

Group 1. (Franklin D. Roosevelt).

James M. Curley, Boston	3
James Roosevelt, Cambridge	3
James H. Brennan, Boston	3
Thomas F. Cassidy, Chesire	3
James T. Moriarty, Boston	3
Edward A. McLaughlin, Jr., Newton	3
Prime Robichaud, Gardner	3
Joseph Santosuosso, Boston	3
Nellie L. Sullivan, Fall River	3
Joseph J. Hurley, Boston	3
Paul H. Hines, Boston	3
Joseph H. Hanken, Revere	3

Group 2. (Alfred E. Smith).

David I. Walsh, Fitchburg	7
Joseph B. Ely, Westfield	7
Marcus A. Coolidge, Fitchburg	7
William J. Foley, Boston	7
William P. Connery, Jr., Lynn	7
John J. Douglass, Boston	7
John W. McCormack, Boston	7
William J. Granfield, Longmeadow	7
Mary L. Bacigalupo, Boston	7
Helen G. Rotch, Lakeville	7
Charles H. Cole, Boston	7
John F. Fitzgerald, Boston	7

Not Grouped.

Roland D. Sawyer, Ware	0
Blanks	130

Alternate Delegates at Large—Vote for Twelve.

Group 1. (Franklin D. Roosevelt).

Helen C. Galvin, Boston	3

Dorothy Whipple Fry, Brookline	3
Edward G. Morris, Quincy	3
Mabel R. Worthy, Boston	3
Agnes H. Parker, Boston	3
Francis J. W. Ford, Boston	3
Eugene Wambaugh, Cambridge	3
Alice E. Cram, Boston	3
Arthur W. Heike, Boston	3
Frances E. Zaletskas, Cambridge	3
Matthew P. Maney, Lawrence	3
M. Grace Barry, Malden	3

Group 2. (Alfred E. Smith).

William G. Thompson, Newton	5
Edward P. Barry, Boston	5
John C. Mahoney, Worcester	5
Charles H. Slowey, Lowell	5
Mary H. Ward, Boston	5
J. Henry Goguen, Leominster	5
Samuel Kalesky, Brookline	5
Charles F. Riordan, Sharon	5
J. Leo Sullivan, Peabody	5
John P. Buckley, Boston	5
Leo M. Birmingham, Boston	5
Daniel F. O'Connell, Brookline	5
Blanks	144

District Delegates, Fourth District—Vote for Two.

Group 1. (Franklin D. Roosevelt).

George F. Foley, Worcester	3
Edward A. Ryan, Worcester	3

Group 2. (Alfred E. Smith).

Edward J. Kelley, Worcester	5
Nellie Millea, Worcester	5
Blanks	24

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES, FOURTH DISTRICT.

Vote for Two.

Group 1. (Franklin D. Roosevelt).

John F. McLoughlin, Milford	3
Freeman M. Saltus, Worcester	3

Group 2. (Alfred E. Smith).

Harold D. Donohue, Worcester	5
Mary E. A. Murray, Milford	5
Blanks	24

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, August 10, 1932.

Selectmen C. F. Austin and H. J. Baum, Constable S. E. Kellogg, and Assistant Town Clerk W. F. Burrill met at the Draper Corporation office this day, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and Selectman H. J. Baum drew from the Juror Box the name of George E. Kent, Machinist, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil Business, on Tuesday, the 6th day of September, next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest:

W. F. BURRILL,
Assistant Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County:
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Thursday, the Eighteenth day of August current, punctually at 7.30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars for the use of Soldiers' Relief or take any other action with respect thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six thousand ($6,000.00) dollars for the use of the Department of Public Welfare or take any other action with respect thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred ($500.00) dollars for Old Age Assistance or take any other action with respect thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 8th day of August, A. D. 1932.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, Mass., August 18, 1932.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and the doings thereon.
Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING, AUGUST 18, 1932.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met at the Town Hall and punctually at 7.30 o'clock in the evening were called to order by the Clerk of said Town, who read the Warrant and under:

Article 1. Mr. Charles F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

THE REPORT OF THE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE WAS NOW READ.

Mr. Moderator:

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held August 15, 1932, requests for appropriations to be considered at a special Town meeting to be held August 18, 1932 were considered, and Mr. G. Russell Goff, Clerk of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting the following recommendations as to appropriations to be made at that meeting:

Incidental Department, for Soldiers' Relief.

To be raised and appropriated $1,000 00

Board of Public Welfare.

To be raised and appropriated 6,000 00

Board of Public Welfare, Old Age Assistance.

To be raised and appropriated 500 00

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,
G. Russell Goff,
Clerk of the Committee.

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the report of the Finance Committee as read by Mr. G. Russell Goff, the clerk of said Committee.

Article 2. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee it was voted unanimously, to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars for the use of Soldiers' Relief.

Article 3. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee it was voted unanimously, to raise and appropriate the sum of six thousand ($6,000.00) dollars for the use of the Department of Public Welfare.

Article 4. Acting on the foregoing report of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee it was voted unanimously, to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred ($500.00) dollars for Old Age Assistance.

Voted: That the Warrant be dissolved.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, September 18, 1932.

Selectmen H. J. Baum and A. A. Westcott, Constable S. E. Kellogg and Town Clerk Frank Edmands, met at the Draper Corporation office, this day, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon and Selectman A. A. Westcott drew from the Juror Box the name of Walter H. Leas, machinist, of 40 Inman Street, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday, the 3rd day of October next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hopedale,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said Hopedale, Tuesday, the Twentieth Day of September, 1932, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers:

Governor, for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant Governor, for this Commonwealth.
Secretary of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.
Treasurer and Receiver General, for this Commonwealth.
Auditor of the Commonwealth, for this Commonwealth.
Attorney-General, for this Commonwealth.
Representative in Congress, for 4th Congressional District.
Councillor, for 7th Councillor District.
Senator, for 4th Worcester Senatorial District.
One Representative in General Court, for 7th Worcester Representative District.
2 County Commissioners, for Worcester County.
Associate County Commissioner, for Worcester County. (To fill vacancy).
Sheriff, for Worcester County.

And for the Election of the following Officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Worcester Senatorial District.
11 Members of the Republican Town Committee.
6 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.
3 Delegates to State Conventions of the Republican Party.
2 Delegates to State Conventions of the Democratic Party.

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of September, A. D. 1932.

ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Selectmen of Hopedale.

A true copy.
Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, Sept. 20, 1932.

I have complied with the requirements of the Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before time of said meeting.

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.
Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, September 20, 1932.

Pursuant to the Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified to vote in Primaries assembled at Town Hall, at 9 o'clock A. M. on the 20th day of September, for the purpose of giving in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Candidates as stated upon the Warrant.

At 5.10 o'clock P. M. the ballot box was opened and 200 ballots taken therefrom.

The tellers being duly sworn as the law directs, began the counting. The ballot box was opened later as

follows: at 6.55 o'clock P. M. for 100 ballots and at 8 o'clock P. M. the polls were declared closed, the ballot box registered 534 and 234 more ballots were taken therefrom making a total of 534 as registered.

At 10.30 o'clock P. M. announcement was made as follows:

REPUBLICAN BALLOT.

Governor.

Walter E. Brownell, Boston	4
Frank A. Goodwin, Boston	197
E. Mark Sullivan, Boston	6
William Sterling Youngman, Brookline	298
Blanks	8

Lieutenant Governor.

Gaspar G. Bacon, Boston	265
Chester I. Campbell, Quincy	213
Blanks	35

Secretary.

Frederic W. Cook, Somerville	469
Blanks	44

Treasurer.

Francis Prescott, Grafton	456
Max Ulin, Boston	22
Blanks	35

Auditor.

Emerson Johnson Coldwell, Weymouth	131
Alonzo B. Cook, Boston	336
Blanks	44

Attorney General.

Joseph E. Warner, Taunton	469
Blanks	44

CONGRESSMAN, (Fourth District).

Pehr G. Holmes, Worcester	448
Blanks	65

COUNCILLOR, (Seventh District).

Michael J. O'Shea, Worcester	1
Winfield A. Schuster, Douglas	252
Matthew Percival Whittal, Worcester	248
Blanks	12

SENATOR, (Fourth Worcester District).

George W. Knowlton, Jr., Upton	141
Joseph A. Patenaude, Webster	15
Louis A. Webster, Blackstone	348
Blanks	9

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,
(7th Worcester District).

John W. Lasell, Northbridge	449
Blanks	64

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, (Worcester County).

Stanley M. Bailey, Shrewsbury	37
Elbert M. Crockett, Milford	459
Robert L. DeArmond, Westborough	10
William P. Goodale, Clinton	78
Burton W. Prince, Ashburnham	13
Walter R. Wheeler, Shrewsbury	43
Henry H. Wheelock, Fitchburg	269
Blanks	117

SHERIFF, (Worcester County).

Roland S. G. Frodigh, Worcester	60
Henry J. Healey, West Boylston	17
William E. Johnson, Westborough	148
George W. Jones, Worcester	159

Edward J. McCarthy, Worcester	22
Herbert L. Scarles, Worcester	54
Blanks	53

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER, (Worcester County).

To fill vacancy.

Lemuel D. Carter, Berlin	92
Leon J. Croteau, Shrewsbury	27
George W. Dean, Oakham	70
Myron F. Richardson, Hardwick	200
Blanks	124

STATE COMMITTEE, (Fourth Worcester District).

Joseph H. Doyle, Milford	408
Blanks	105

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

Lucile P. Barney, Hopedale	469
Edna H. Beck, Hopedale	472
Emma B. Draper, Hopedale	459
Blanks	139

TOWN COMMITTEE.

Charles F. Austin, Hopedale	469
Charles F. Butterworth, Hopedale	467
Asa A. Westcott, Hopedale	465
Napier Scribner, Hopedale	458
Eugene J. Creighton, Hopedale	461
Carl E. Adams, Hopedale	459
Rueben J. Evans, Hopedale	458
Lucile P. Barney, Hopedale	458
Eben S. Draper, Hopedale	463
Edna H. Beck, Hopedale	463
Emma B. Draper, Hopedale	454
Blanks	568

DEMOCRATIC BALLOT.

Governor.

Joseph B. Ely, Westfield	16
Blanks	5

Lieutenant Governor.

Edward P. Barry, Boston	1
David J. Brickley, Boston	0
Raymond A. Fitzgerald, Cambridge	0
William I. Hennessey, Boston	0
Francis E. Kelly, Boston	0
John F. Malley, Newton	0
Michael C. O'Neill, Everett	2
John E. Swift, Milford	18
Blanks	0

Secretary.

John F. Buckley, Boston	4
J. Edward Callanan, Newton	1
John W. Cussen, Boston	0
Arthur G. Flynn, Boston	0
George F. Gilbody, Boston	2
George F. Grogan, Concord	0
Edward J. Gurry, Cambridge	0
John D. O'Brien, Boston	2
Joseph Santosuosso, Boston	5
Ray H. Shattuck, Boston	0
Charles R. Sullivan, Boston	1
Henry J. Sullivan, Boston	3
Blanks	3

Treasurer.

Charles F. Hurley, Cambridge	17
Blanks	4

Auditor.

John E. Buckley, Quincy	2
John J. Harrington, Boston	1
Francis X. Hurley, Cambridge	12
Alfred J. Moore, Boston	2
Leo A. Spillane, Boston	0
Blanks	4

Attorney General.

John P. Buckley, Boston	11
Harry E. Casey, Boston	0
Daniel J. Dempsey, Jr., Arlington	1
William R. Scharton, Reading	3
Harold W. Sullivan, Boston	3
Raymond E. Sullivan, Boston	1
Blanks	2

Congressman, (Fourth District).

John F. Delaney, Worcester	6
James H. Ferguson, Worcester	0
John J. Walsh, Worcester	13
Blanks	2

Councillor, (Seventh District).

George A. Graveline, Worcester	1
Charles J. O'Connor, Worcester	17
Blanks	3

Senator, (Fourth Worcester District).

John J. Allen, Franklin	6
Edwin F. Tuttle, Bellingham	12
Blanks	3

Representative in General Court, (Seventh Worcester District).

James J. Sughrue, Northbridge	16
Blanks	5

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, (Worcester County).

Frank W. Barr, Leominster	1
James P. Bergin, Webster	2
Francis R. Bowler, Spencer	1
John F. Curran, Milford	17
William B. Logan, Worcester	7
Blanks	14

SHERIFF, (Worcester County).

H. Oscar Rocheleau, Worcester	17
Blanks	4

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER, (Worcester County).
To fill vacancy.

Blanks	21

STATE COMMITTEE, (Fourth Worcester District).

Francis E. Cassidy, Webster	16
Blanks	5

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

John P. Connolly, Hopedale	18
Horace B. Norcross, Hopedale	13
Blanks	11

TOWN COMMITTEE.

John P. Connolly, Hopedale	17
John J. Lahive, Hopedale	15
Walter E. Burke, Hopedale	15
Horace B. Norcross, Hopedale	15
Henry Markham, Hopedale	16
Thomas H. Gaffney, Hopedale	15
Blanks	33

The foregoing making a total of 513 Republican and 21 Democratic; a grand total of 534 ballots.

Attest: FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., October 12, 1932.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg and Assistant Town Clerk W. Frederic Burrill met this day at the Draper Corporation office at 8.20 o'clock A. M. and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror Box the name of J. Newton Nutter, by occupation a Toolmaker to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil Business on Wednesday, the ninth day of November, next at 10 o'clock A. M.

Attest:

W. F. BURRILL,
Assistant Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, A D. 1932, it being the first Tuesday after the first Monday, punctually at six o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the polls will be opened for said voters to give in their ballots to the Selectmen for Presidential Electors; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Attorney General; Congressman, (4th District); Councillor, (7th District); Senator, (4th Worcester District); Representative in General Court, (7th Worcester District); 2 County Commissioners, (Worcester County); Sheriff, (Worcester County); Associate County Commissioner, (Worcester County); all on one ballot, designating the office intended for each person voted for.

Also upon said ballots the voters shall give in their votes, "Yes" or "No", on the acceptance of the following:

QUESTION NO. 1.

"Law Proposed by Initiative Petition."

Shall the proposed law which defines and legalizes the practice of chiropractics; establishes a board of registration of chiropractors and defines the number, mode of appointment, tenure, qualification and compensation of its members, and its powers and duties; provides for the preliminary qualifications, examination, certification, original registration and annual license of chiropractors and regulation of their practice, and defines the mode, subjects of and fees for examination, the mode of practice and penalties; and other matters related thereto, which are chiefly as follows:

That chiropractic be "the science or practice of locating and adjusting by hand the malpositions of the articulations of the human spine".

That any person, with one preceeding year's residence in this Commonwealth and with degree from a qualified chiropractic school received at least one year prior to the date when this law takes effect, may, within ninety days after such date, be certified by the board at its discretion without examination.

That otherwise no person, except a member of the board of registration, shall practice chiropractic unless, being over twenty-one years of age, of good moral character and graduated from a reputable chiropractic school after personally attending courses of at least twenty-two hundred sixty-minute daylight hours given to persons qualified to graduate from a public high school, he shall qualify by examination, pay a fee of twenty-five dollars and be registered and certified; except that any person licensed in another State maintaining standards equal to those of this Commonwealth may be registered without examination.

That the examination be scientific and practical in character, in subjects including anatomy, physiology, symptomatology, hygiene, sanitation, chemistry, histology, pathology, chiropractic analysis, and the principles and practice of chiropractic.

That the board may, after hearing, revoke a certificate for cause.

That the board shall make an annual report and shall keep public records of its proceedings and of the names of persons examined or registered by it and of the names and addresses of all registered chiropractors, who shall pay an annual license fee, promptly notify the board of any change in address and furnish such other information as the board may require.

That the board consist of three members, residents of the Commonwealth for three years, graduates of a chartered chiropractic school having power to confer degrees in chiropractic, to be appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, for a term of three years.

That the board have authority to administer oaths, summon witnesses and take testimony and adopt reasonable rules and regulations pertaining to their duties, and that they pay into the state treasury fees received by them, and that they receive compensation and reimbursement for expenses in such amounts as may be annually appropriated therefor not exceeding the amount of such fees.

Penalties are provided for practicing chiropractic without holding a certificate or for using the words "Chiropractic Practitioner", the letters "D.C.", or any title or letters indicating engagement in such practice, or for buying, selling or fraudulently obtaining any diploma or record of registration.

It is further provided that the present law relating to the registration of physicians and surgeons and providing penalties for the unauthorized practice of medicine shall not be held to discriminate against registered chiropractors; but no chiropractor, unless registered as a physician or surgeon, may practice obstetrics, or administer drugs, or perform surgical operations by the use of instruments, or hold himself out as and for other than a chiropractor, which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 50 in the affirmative and 151 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 13 in the affirmative and 21 in the negative, be approved?

QUESTION NO. 2.

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition.

Shall the proposed law which provides for an additional method of nominating candidates for nomination, at the state primaries in September, by members of political parties, for those offices to be filled by all the voters of the Commonwealth at a state election.

It provides that the state conventions of the political parties, in each state election year, shall be held before and not after the state primaries, as now, namely, not later than June 15. In order to elect delegates to such party conventions, party, primaries are established to be held on the last Tuesday in April. Among other things, these state conventions may endorse candidates for offices to be filled by all the voters and to be voted upon at the state primaries. Such endorsement places a candidate in nomination, at such state primaries without the necessity of filing nomination papers. The name of the endorsed candidates is to be placed first on the ballot and against his name is to be placed the words "Endorsed by (the name of political party) convention" in addition to the eight-word statement now authorized by law. Candidates endorsed by a party convention may accept said endorsement within ten days, and having so accepted may not withdraw.

It also provides for the election of district members of state committees and members of ward and town committees at the proposed party primaries in April, as well as delegates to the state party conventions, instead of at the state primaries in September, as now.

It also provides for the election of delegates to national conventions (to nominate candidates for President) at the proposed party primaries instead of at the primaries, now specially held for that purpose, and which existing law requires to be held on the last Tuesday in April (the same day proposed for the proposed party primaries).

It also provides for certain other new provisions of law and certain changes in existing laws, relating to holding

state conventions and party primaries, the number and election of delegates to state conventions, the number of members at large of a state committee, and other matters, which in more detail chiefly are as follows:

State conventions are to be composed solely of delegates elected at the party primaries, and the number is to be one from each ward and town and one additional for every fifteen hundred votes or major fraction thereof above the first fifteen hundred votes cast at the preceeding state election in such ward or town for the political party candidate for Governor, instead of a number now fixed by the State committee of each party (not less than one from each ward or town) and certain members designated by existing law.

The time, for notice to the State Secretary by aldermen or selectmen of their determination to hold primaries by wards, precincts or groups of precincts, to be March 1, instead of August 1, as now.

The names of candidates for election for delegates to a state convention and for district members of a state committee to be arranged individually by alphabet instead of in groups arranged by lot, as now.

Vacancies in the office of delegate to a state or national convention not to be filled except in case of a tie vote, and then by delegates from the same district, within ten days, and if no other delegate or if not so filled, then by a state committee, rather than solely by the remaining members of the delegation; and statement of filling of such vacancy to be filed with the State Secretary.

Seating of delegates at state conventions to be in groups by senatorial districts, and order of business at said conventions defined.

Voting on candidates, by a convention, to be by roll call, if more than one candidate for the office, or by groups of delegates unless any member of such group objects.

The number of members at large of a state committee of a political party to be fixed by the state convention of a party instead of by the state committee, as now.

The existing provisions as to preparation and filing of nomination papers, objections to nominations, preparation, number, substance, arrangement and form of ballots, hours during which polls shall be open, opening of ballot boxes, canvass and return of votes, return and certification of votes, now applicable to state primaries to be applicable to the proposed party primaries.

The power of a state committee to fix the number of district delegates to a national convention to be continued, but the date, of giving notice to the State Secretary, of such fixation to be March 1 instead of on or before the third Wednesday in March, as now.

The power of city and town committees to fix the number of members of ward and town committees to be continued, but the date, of giving notice to the State Secretary, of such fixation to be March 1 instead of August 1, as now, which was approved in the Senate by a vote of 21 in the affirmative and 17 in the negative and was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 62 in the affirmative and 138 in the negative, be approved?

QUESTION NO. 3.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Is it desirable that the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, ...

"Article . . . .

"Section 1. The terms of the President and Vice President shall end at noon on the 20th day of January, and the terms of Senators and Representatives at noon on the 3d day of January, of the years in which such terms would have ended if this article had not been ratified; and the terms of their successors shall then begin.

"Section 2. The Congress shall assemble at least once in every year, and such meeting shall begin at noon on the 3d day of January, unless they shall by law appoint a different day.

"Section 3. If, at the time fixed for the beginning of the term of the President, the President elect shall have died, the Vice President elect shall become President. If a President shall not have been chosen before the time fixed for the beginning of his term, or if the President elect shall have failed to qualify, then the Vice President elect shall act as President until a President shall have qualified; and the Congress may by law provide for the case wherein neither a President elect nor a Vice President elect shall have qualified, declaring who shall then act as President, or the manner in which one who is to act shall be selected, and such person shall act accordingly until a President or Vice President shall have qualified.

"Section 4. The Congress may by law provide for the case of the death of any of the persons from whom the House of Representatives may choose a President whenever the right of choice shall have devolved upon them, and for the case of the death of any of the persons from whom the Senate may choose a Vice President whenever the right of choice shall have devolved upon them.

"Section 5. Sections 1 and 2 shall take effect on the 15th day of October following the ratification of this article.

"Section 6. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States within seven years from the date of its submission"—be ratified by the General Court?

The polls may be closed at eight o'clock in the evening of said day.

At nine o'clock in the forenoon on the above-mentioned eighth day of November, at the same place, there will be a meeting of the above-described inhabitants qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear the report of any committees appointed by the town and act thereon.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of six hundred dollars for insurance, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of one thousand dollars for the use of the police department, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see if the town will appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, the sum of one hundred dollars for the use of the Board of Public Welfare for state aid, or take any other action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies, thereof in at least four public places in said town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1932.

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
HORACE J. BAUM,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
Selectmen of Hopedale.

Attest: SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, November 8, 1932.

I have complied with the requirements of this warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

SAMUEL E. KELLOGG,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.
Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING, NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall on November 8th, 1932, and punctually at 6.00 o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the warrant, after which the polls were declared open.

The cards of instructions and sample ballots being previously posted, the ballot clerks and deputy ballot clerks were sworn to the faithful performance of their duty, the official ballots delivered by the presiding officer to the ballot clerks, who receipted therefor.

The ballot box registered at zero and was shown to be empty, the same was locked and the key delivered to the Presiding Officer.

Voting then proceeded.

At nine o'clock A. M., there was a meeting of the above described inhabitants, and under:

Article 1. Mr. C. F. Butterworth was chosen Moderator with the use of the check list.

Article 2. The following report was presented:

November 8, 1932.

REPORT OF THE
HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Moderator:—

At a meeting of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee held Nov. 4, 1932, request for appropriations to be considered at a special Town Meeting Nov. 8, 1932, were considered, and Mr. G. Russell Goff, clerk of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee was instructed to present to the Town Meeting, the

following recommendations for appropriations to be made at that meeting.

For the Incidental Department $600 for Insurance, to be appropriated from available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and as referred to in Article 3 of the Town Warrant.

For the Incidental Department $1,000 for Police, to be appropriated from available funds in the hands of the Treasurer as referred to in Article 4 of the Town Warrant.

For the Board of Public Welfare, $100 to be appropriated from available funds in the hands of the Treasurer and as covered by Article 5 of the Town Warrant.

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE,

G. Russell Goff,
Clerk of the Committee.

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of $600.00 be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the Insurance Department of the Incidental Account.

Article 4. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of $1,000.00 be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the Police Department of the Incidental Account.

Article 5. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of $100.00 be appropriated from any surplus or available funds in the Treasury for the Board of Public Welfare for State Aid.

Voted: That the meeting be dissolved and the polls be closed at 8 o'clock P. M. At 9.10 A. M. the ballot box which registered 200, was opened by the Presiding Officer and 200 ballots were taken therefrom.

The tellers being duly sworn as the law directs counting proceeded.

The ballot box was afterward opened and ballots removed therefrom as follows: at 10.30 A. M., 200, at 1.00 P. M., 200, at 3.00 P. M., 300, at 5.05 P. M., 200, at 7 P. M.,

200, at 8.00 P. M. the polls were declared closed and 55 more ballots removed therefrom, making a total of 1355. At this time the ballots of fifteen absent voters were examined and checked, all having been accepted, and were put through the ballot box, which now registered 1370. A total of 1370 ballots were accounted for. The ballot clerk's list showed that 1370 (739 male, 621 female) names had been checked, and the voting list showed the same number.

The result was tabulated and at 10.15 P. M. was declared in open meeting as follows:

Electors of President and Vice President.

Foster and Ford, Communist Party	0
Hoover and Curtis, Republican	1067
Reynolds and Aiken, Socialist Labor	0
Roosevelt and Garner, Democratic	281
Thomas and Maurer, Socialist Party	6
Upshaw and Regan, Prohibition Party	0
Blanks	16

Governor.

John J. Ballam, of Boston, Communist Party	0
Joseph B. Ely, of Westfield, Democratic	332
Alfred Baker Lewis, of Cambridge, Socialist Party	8
Charles S. Oram, of Boston, Socialist Labor	2
William Sterling Youngman, of Brookline, Republican	1008
Blanks	20

Lieutenant Governor.

Gaspar G. Bacon, of Boston, Republican	1032
Morris I. Becker, of Boston, Socialist Labor	1
James W. Dawson, of Boston, Communist Party	1
Walter S. Hutchins, of Greenfield, Socialist Party	6
John E. Swift, of Milford, Democratic	307
Blanks	23

SECRETARY.

John F. Buckley, of Boston, Democratic	248
Frederic W. Cook, of Somerville, Republican	1074
Albert S. Coolidge, of Pittsfield, Socialist Party	8
Max Lerner, of Worcester, Communist Party	1
Albert L. Waterman, of Boston, Socialist Labor	3
Blanks	36

TREASURER.

Domenico A. DiGirolamo, of Boston, Socialist Labor	2
Eva Hoffman, of Boston, Communist Party	1
Charles F. Hurley, of Cambridge, Democratic	285
Francis Prescott, of Grafton, Republican	1033
Glen Trimble, of Boston, Socialist Party	8
Blanks	41

AUDITOR.

Jule Babbitt, of Worcester, Communist Party	0
Daniel T. Blessington, of Somerville, Socialist Labor	4
Alonzo B. Cook, of Boston, Republican	1004
David A. Eisenberg, of Chelsea, Socialist Party	5
Francis X. Hurley, of Cambridge, Democratic	301
Blanks	56

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

John P. Buckley, of Boston, Democratic	244
Maria C. Correia, of New Bedford, Communist Party	0
Fred E. Oelcher, of Peabody, Socialist Labor	3
George E. Roewer, of Cambridge, Socialist Party	6
William R. Scharton, of Reading, Independent	1
Joseph E. Warner, of Taunton, Republican	1068
Blanks	48

CONGRESSMAN, (4th District).

Pehr G. Holmes, of Worcester, Republican	1028
John J. Walsh, of Worcester, Democratic	272
Blanks	70

COUNCILLOR, (7th District).

Charles J. O'Connor, of Worcester, Democratic	202
Winfield A. Schuster, of Douglas, Republican	1100
Blanks	68

SENATOR, (4th Worcester District).

John J. Allen, of Franklin, Democratic	228
George W. Knowlton, Jr., of Upton, Republican	1067
Blanks	75

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,

(7th Worcester District).

John W. Lasell, of Northbridge, Republican	1042
James J. Sughrue, of Northbridge, Democratic	245
Blanks	83

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, (Worcester County).

James P. Bergin, of Webster, Democratic	162
Elbert M. Crockett, of Milford, Republican	1043
John F. Curran, of Milford, Democratic	226
Henry H. Wheelock, of Fitchburg, Republican	803
Elmer Nelson, of Milford	1
Blanks	505

SHERIFF, (Worcester County).

Roland S. G. Frodigh, of Worcester, Republican	1015
H. Oscar Rocheleau, of Worcester, Democratic	286
Blanks	69

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER,

(Worcester County, to fill vacancy).

Myron E. Richardson, of Hardwick, Republican	1083
Blanks	287

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition.

Shall the proposed law which defines and legalizes the practice of Chiropractics be approved?

Yes	365
No	602
Blanks	403

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition.

Shall the proposed law which provides for an additional method of nominating candidates for nomination, at the state primaries in September, by members of political parties, for these offices to be filled by all the voters of the Commonwealth at a state election be approved?

Yes	570
No	237
Blanks	563

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Is it desirable that the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, relating to the terms of the President and Vice President ending at noon on the 20th day of January, and the terms of Senators and Representatives at noon on the 3d day of January, of the years in which such terms would have ended if this article had not been ratified; and the terms of their successors shall then begin,—be ratified by the General Court?

Yes	763
No	114
Blanks	493

After the reading of the foregoing by the presiding officer the check lists which were used by the ballot clerks, and

Selectmen, together with the cancelled and unused ballots and tally sheets, were delivered into the custody of the Town Clerk.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Northbridge, November 18th, 1932.

In compliance with Sections 124 to 129 inclusive, of Chapter 54 of the General Laws, we, the Town Clerks of the towns of Blackstone, Hopedale, Mendon, and Northbridge, which towns comprise the seventh Worcester Representative District, this day met at the office of the Town Clerk in said Northbridge, and Canvassed the return of votes in said towns for one Representative in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday in January next. Said votes were returned to us as by law required, and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose, on the eighth day of November, A. D. 1932, and was shown by the following tabular statement:

	Blackstone	Hopedale	Mendon	Northbridge	Total
John W. Lasell of Northbridge had	284	1042	350	2035	3711
James J. Sughrue of Northbridge had	1144	245	108	1553	3050
Blanks	74	83	33	78	268
Total Vote	1502	1370	491	3666	7029

John W. Lasell of Northbridge in said Representative District having received the largest number of votes, was de-

clared elected, and to him was a certificate of election issued, also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth as the law requires.

In Witness whereof, We, the Town Clerks of Blackstone, Hopedale, Mendon and Northbridge, have hereunto set our names this 18th day of November, A. D. 1932.

Attest:

Joseph P. Cunningham, Town Clerk of Blackstone.
Frank Edmands, Town Clerk of Hopedale.
Albert S. Coleman, Town Clerk of Mendon.
Joseph A. Johnston, Town Clerk of Northbridge.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

Boston, November 30, 1932.

To City and Town Clerks and Election Commissioners.

Whereas:—petitions have been filed with the State Secretary,—in the interests of Gaspar G. Bacon of Boston, Republican, and John E. Swift of Milford, Democratic, candidates for the office of Lieutenant-Governor,—and in the interest of John F. Buckley of Boston, Democratic, and of Frederic W. Cook, of Somerville, Republican, candidate for the office of Secretary,—for state-wide recounts of offices of Lieutenant-Governor and Secretary, under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 54, Section 135 as amended; and

Whereas,—after the official tabulation of votes by the Governor and Council it appears that the difference in the number of votes cast for the two leading candidates for each of said offices of Lieutenant-Governor and Secretary is less than one per cent of the total number of votes cast for such offices;

Therefore it becomes my duty to, and I do hereby, order the clerk of each city and town of the commonwealth to trans-

mit forthwith, and said clerk shall so transmit, the envelopes containing the ballots, sealed except in the case of those containing ballots which have already been recounted in respect to said officers, to the registrars of the city or town who shall, without unnecessary delay, open the envelopes, recount the ballots cast for said offices and determine the questions raised.

FREDERIC W. COOK,
Secretary.

Pursuant to the order from the Secretary of the Commonwealth dated November 30th, 1932 and after due notice, the Board of Registrars met at the Town House on Wednesday, December 14, 1932 at eight o'clock A. M. and recounted the ballots cast for the offices of Lieutenant-Governor and Secretary with the following results:

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Gaspar G. Bacon, of Boston, Republican	1032
Morris I. Becker, of Boston, Socialist Labor	1
James W. Dawson, of Boston, Communist Party	1
Walter S. Hutchins, of Greenfield, Socialist Party	6
John E. Swift, of Milford, Democratic	308
Blanks	22

SECRETARY.

John F. Buckley, of Boston, Democratic	248
Frederic W. Cook, of Somerville, Republican	1074
Albert S. Coolidge, of Pittsfield, Socialist Party	8
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Blanks	36

An official notice of the count was sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 19, 1932.

Selectmen Charles F. Austin and Horace J. Baum, Constable Samuel E. Kellogg and Town Clerk Frank Edmands met this day at the Draper Corporation office at 3.00 o'clock P. M. and Selectman Horace J. Baum drew from the Juror Box the name of Lewis E. Gaskill, by occupation a bookkeeper, to serve as Traverse Juror at our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday, the twenty-third day of January next, at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

LIST OF JURORS, 1932.

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Carl E. Adams	Clerk	48 Inman St.
Roy L. Adams	Clerk	6 Peace St.
Albert H. Andrews	Machinist	119 Dutcher St.
Fred E. Andrews	Clerk	17 Union St.
C. Earl Baldwin	Toolmaker	8 Hope St.
Stanley Barrows	Packer	37 Inman St.
Sidney Beard	Machinist	3 Union St.
George A. Bruce	Clerk	1 Cemetery St.
Leslie C. Childs	Foreman	7 Inman St.
Julian F. Clark	Carpenter	50 Inman St.
Edwin F. Clarridge	Mason	39 Daniels St.
George F. Creamer	Machinist	202 So. Main St.
Benjamin J. Davenport	Auto. Dealer	15 Park St.
Harold W. Dunlap	Shuttle Worker	94 Freedom St.
J. Harold Durgin	Clerk	120 Dutcher St.
Charles H. Earnsby	Machinist	38 Bancroft Park
Raymond J. Gaffney	Machinist	147 Hopedale St.
Lewis E. Gaskill	Bookkeeper	85 Mill St.
Norman S. Henry	Farmer	200 Dutcher St.
Albert A. Hersey	Toolmaker	18 Union St.

LIST OF JURORS, 1932—Continued.

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Alfred C. Hixon	Assembler	126 Freedom St.
Herbert C. Hixon	Machinist	14 Inman St.
Preston Johnson	Forger	142 Mill St.
George E. Kent	Machinist	178 Hopedale St.
William H. Knight	Farmer	93 Hopedale St.
Charles H. Knights	Plumber	374 So. Main St.
Walter H. Leas	Machinist	40 Inman St.
Fred E. Mason	Machinist	10 Progress St.
Hugh E. Nulty	Machinist	96 Hopedale St.
J. Newton Nutter	Toolmaker	123 Dutcher St.
Frank E. O'Neil	Toolmaker	131 Dutcher St.
Joseph A. Palmer	Laborer	7 Cemetery St.
Clyde F. Saunders	Clerk	39 Progress St.
Arthur J. Sloane	Pattern Maker	42 Inman St.
Frank E. Stover	Machinist	108 Mill St.
Walter E. Taylor	Pattern Maker	26 Dutcher St.
Clifton C. Tracy	Machinist	3 Lake St.
George Urquhart	Machinist	Hazel St.
Roy A. Weaver	Shuttle Worker	36 Progress St.
Roy C. Williams	Machinist	112 Freedom St.
James H. Young	Machinist	12 Cemetery St.

JURORS DRAWN.

Louis E. Fisher	Traverse Juror	April 4, 1932
George E. Kent	Traverse Juror	August 10, 1932
Walter H. Leas	Traverse Juror	September 18, 1932
J. Newton Nutter	Traverse Juror	October 12, 1932
Lewis E. Gaskill	Traverse Juror	December 19, 1932

DOG LICENSES ISSUED.

155 Male. 24 Female. Amount sent to County Treasurer, $396.00, of which amount $317.68 was returned to the town.

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED.

Resident Sporting	159
Resident Sporting Free of Charge	8
Resident Minor Sporting	7
Resident Minor Trapping	1
Non-Resident Sporting	2
Duplicate	2

VITAL STATISTICS.

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the following lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the record of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 46.

Section 3. Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under Section nine of Chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge, showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birthplace, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any) of each parent, the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the name of and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or register of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts herein above required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any; provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to

said clerk, or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars.

Section 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for record relative to such births, shall furnish the same upon request of the clerk of the town where such child was born or its parents reside, or of any person authorized by him. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. Every householder in whose house a death occurs and the oldest next of kin of a deceased person in the town where the death occurs shall, within five days thereafter, cause notice thereof to be given to the board of health.

Blanks can be obtained on application to the town clerk.

FRANK EDMANDS,
Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1932.

DATE 1932	NAMES	RESIDENCE	AGE	MARRIAGE	BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED
Jan. 2	Carlton P. Gaskill	Bellingham	30	1st	Rev. J. G. Beveridge
	Esther L. Leas	Hopedale	23	1st	Milford, Mass.
Jan. 2	Frank Gurney	Groton, N. H.	39	1st	Rev Vernon H. Deming
	Helen T. Gibbs	Hopedale	19	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Feb. 1	Furnie L. White, Jr.	Uxbridge	21	1st	Adonat J. Demers
	Katherine Eastwood	Hopedale	18	1st	Woonsocket, R. I.
Feb. 8	James Robertson	Hopedale	30	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Marie O'Toole	Medford	34	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Feb. 8	John DiSantis	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Alfred Balestrazzi
	Evelyn M. Leoncini	Hopedale	17	1st	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 9	Frederick J. Ring, Jr.	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
	Elizabeth K. Morgan	Milford	23	1st	Milford, Mass.
Apr. 18	Henry F. Spadoni	Hopedale	20	1st	Rev. R. Dalla Porta
	Angie G. Volpicelli	Hopedale	18	1st	Milford, Mass.
May 5	Arthur L. LaRhette	Hopedale	20	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Madeline A. Smart	Hopedale	18	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
June 11	Stanley F. Wrenn	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. Lionel Dion
	Mary Lena Hebert	Woonsocket,R.I.	19	1st	Woonsocket, R. I.
June 11	Daniel E. Gorman	Hopedale	27	1st	Rev. R. Dalla Porta
	Delina Tomboro	Milford	20	1st	Milford, Mass.
June 25	Joseph Tedesthi	Hopkinton	35	2nd	Rev. R. Dalla Porta
	Lena D. Repanti	Hopedale	33	2nd	Milford, Mass.
June 30	Arthur E. Francis	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Louisa F. Barrows	Hopedale	19	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Aug. 12	Howard F. Miller	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. G. Edgar Wolfe
	Alberta G. Kearsley	Hopedale	21	1st	Milford, Mass.
Sept. 3	Solomon Bean	Framingham	66	2nd	Rabbi M. Klatskin
	Ethel M. Sneiderman	Hopedale	60	3rd	Milford, Mass.
Oct. 12	George W. J. Atkinson	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Mabel L. Nealley	Hopedale	19	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Nov. 12	George C. Whitin	Upton	22	1st	Rev. Allan E. Burtt
	Ella K. Saunders	Hopedale	18	1st	Yarmouth, Mass.
Nov. 24	Kline C. Dickes	Waban	32	1st	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Hazel M. LaRhette	Hopedale	26	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Nov. 27	Irving W. York	New Bedford	22	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
	Virginia Lapworth	Hopedale	24	2nd	Hopedale, Mass.
Dec. 21	Walter Yanski	Philadelphia,Pa.	26	1st	Rev. JB H. Tegarden
	Stella Hammond	Mendon	22	1st	Hopedale, Mass.
Dec. 31	Charles I. Washburn	Ayer	38	2nd	Rev. Harold E. LeMay
	Gladys I. R. Sinclair	Hopedale	34	2nd	Ayer, Mass.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1932.

DATE		NAME	PARENTS
1931			
Aug.	28	Earl Charles Deal	Cecil A. and Lillian (Rhodeniser)
Sept.	3	Robert Joseph Pantani	Joseph and Elvira (Noferi)
1932			
Jan.	1	Elizabeth Ann Grant	Harry and Helen (Sutton)
Jan.	9	Albert Joseph Gardetto	Bernard A. and Concelia Y. (Luciano)
Jan.	25	Joan Frances Thatcher	Harry W. and Elsie A. (Round)
Jan.	30	Eleanor Joyce Gibson	Ward S. and Audrey J. (MacDonald)
Feb.	1	Frederick Joseph Dec	Albert and Antonia (Zbierock)
Feb.	5	William Townsend Cox	Arthur W. and Louise (Townsend)
Feb.	11	Peter Pagani	Louis and Mary (Curley)
Feb.	13	Charles Edward Henry	Norman S. and Marjorie E. (Ouderkirk)
Feb.	14	Everett Victor Swanson	Carl and Margaret (Anderson)
Feb.	22	Richard Dodd Heywood	Richard and Betsey (Whittall)
Feb.	23	John Joseph Bevilaqua, Jr.	John J. and Mary (Falcone)
Feb.	26	Nancy Ardelle Holmes	Shirley E. and Gladys B. (Blood)
Apr.	3	Thomas James Kelley, Jr.	Thos. J. and Anne E. (Carr)
Apr.	4	Gladys Louise Care	Frank F. and Eunice I. (Belcher)
Apr.	7	Clark William Hayward, Jr.	Clark W. and Jean G. (Oak)
Apr.	12	Angelo Battista Zappella	Battista and Mary A. (Pagani)
Apr.	17	Colton H. Bridges	Wilbur R. and Barbara (Allen)
Apr.	18	Stillborn	
Apr.	18	Lorriane Shirley Hixon	Charles L. and Lillian (Dionne)
May	3	Susan Marie Dewar	Arthur A. and Amy (Stewart)
May	10	Nancy Sue Ingham	Alfred and Ethel M. (Sharp)
May	10	Mary Marguerite McGrath	James H. and Martha F. (Burns)
May	15	Bernice Ella Jones	Asa H. and Constance (DuCharme)
May	17	Lorraine Marie Negrotti	Andrew S. and Belle S. (Smith)
May	31	Barbara Ann Leitch	Richard K. and Gertrude (Jiskra)
June	1	Ludovina Josephine Leoncini	Battista and Pierina (Follone)
June	20	Francis Joseph Clement	Francis L. and Florence I. M. (Prophet)
June	22	James Thomas Cyr	Henry and Violet (Munyon)
July	8	Henry Spadoni	Henry and Angie (Volpicelli)
July	15	Nancy Elizabeth Charge	George and Dora (Wharton)
July	19	Theresa Mariana Tomasini	Attilio and Emilia (Bonini)
July	31	Pauline Frances Scahill	James and Sara (Norton)
July	31	Faye Marie Barker	George C. and Ruth M. (Sanderson)
Aug.	13	Margaret Shirley Griffin	Albert F. and Gertrude A. (Gould)
Aug.	16	Robert Smith Look	Roswell L. and Florence E. (Whitney)
Aug.	19	Lorraine Anne Connoni	John and Cesira (Maganini)
Aug.	23	Olive Marie Redden	John H. and Beatrice (Lamond)
Aug.	25	Furnie Robert White	Furnie L. and Catherine (Eastwood)
Sept.	14	Lucille Vivian Rowe	Chester L. and Ruth M. (Taft)
Sept.	19	Janet Louise Coffin	Everett D. and Helen (Sears)
Sept.	19	Frances Ammen	Irvin G. and Jeanne (Butterworth)
Oct.	3	George Albert Farrar	John E. and Mildred (Drew)
Oct.	5	Thadeus Francis Cichanowitz	Frank and Blanche (Lapa)
Oct.	9	Donald Samuel Carroll	William C. and Mabel (Miller)
Oct.	10	William MacDonald	Harry L. and Julia D. (Boni)
Oct.	16	Marion Ruth Preshoe	Harold G. and Annie E. (Usher)
Oct.	22	Joan Marie Holland	Charles J. and Alma I. (Nourse)
Oct.	23	Florina Greta Ghetti	Guido and Florina (Boucher)
Oct.	29	Raymond Arthur Sweet	A. Lincoln and Elizabeth (Bicknell)
Nov.	3	Cynthia Clark	Gordon A. and Constance A. (Lapworth)
Nov.	9	Donald Lancelot Webster	Samuel L. L. and Frances (Lynch)
Nov.	11	Keith Bradley Moore	Donald F. and Elsie (Driscoll)
Nov.	13	Merwin Lincoln Noyes	Bert B. and Carolyn A. (Harris)
Nov.	18	Elenor May Evers	Kenneth R. and Agnes E. (Frougere)
Nov.	28	Barbara Mary Grant	Clarence E. and Edna M. (Tiffany)
Dec.	11	Stanley Leroy Barrows	Stanley E. and Sadie L. (Wrenn)
Dec.	12	Helene Draper	B.H.Bristow, Jr. and Margaret (Alewel)
Dec.	17	Frank Robert Bucchino	Frank and Lucy (Izzo)
Dec.	17	Eugene Chapman	Robert and Izetta (Chapman)
Dec.	30	Howard Francis Miller	Howard and Alberta (Kearsley)

DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1932.

DATE 1932	NAME OF DECEASED	AGE Y	M	D	CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BIRTH
Jan. 2	John Galloway	62	9	30	Angina Pectoris	Scotland
Jan. 6	Herbert E. Durling	28	6	5	Chronic Nephritis	Milford, Mass.
Jan. 7	Minnie L. F. D. Morse	64	5	9	Pneumonia	Holliston, Mass
Jan. 26	John W. Ackeroyd	70	2	2	Lobar Pneumonia	England
Feb. 1	Nellie F. I. Jellison	71	3	26	Arterio Sclerosis	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 3	James E. Wallace	51	6	23	Lobar Pneumonia	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 6	Lyman J. Rogers	91	5	22	Lobar Pneumonia	Nova Scotia
Feb. 12	Peter Pagani	12	Hrs.		Premature Birth	Hopedale, Mass.
Feb. 15	Martin Lajsa	60	..	..	Broncho Pneumonia	Poland
Feb. 17	Dwight H. Cone	74	7	4	Broncho Pneumonia	Westfield, Mass.
Mar. 4	Ada A. Simmons	71	9	10	Arterio Sclerosis	Long Island, N. Y.
Mar. 10	Alice A. McHale	65	4	6	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Milford, Mass.
Mar. 11	Julia A. A. Ide	92	..	1	Arterio Sclerosis	Blackstone, Mass.
Mar. 18	Albert H. Caldwell	80	2	21	Pernicious Anemia	West Medford, Mass
Apr. 11	John Morrison	66	11	3	Uremia	Scotland
Apr. 18	Stillborn	..	..	..		
Apr. 20	Mathilda D. LaVerdure	71	1	5	Arterio Sclerosis	Canada
Apr. 24	Pauline Huczak	40	4	9	Cardiac Embolism	Austria
May 11	Alfred Ingham	39	4	12	Lobar Pneumonia	Fall River, Mass.
May 13	Elizabeth N. Stevenson	58	7	17	Valvular Heart Disease	Ireland
May 15	Jonathan B. Maxcy	77	7	14	Arterio Sclerosis	Wrentham, Mass.
May 22	Alfred McCormick	18	6	7	Empyema Thoracis	Lincoln, Mass.
June 3	Ann C. W. Olivant	63	7	1	Myocarditis	England
June 19	Annie M. Clark	55	6	2	Acute Nephritis	Chelsea, Mass.
July 15	Charles H. Draper	37	2	22	Addisons Disease	Hopedale, Mass.
July 28	Mabel R. H. Grant	43	4	4	Carcinoma of Rectum	Torrington, Conn.
Aug. 6	Bessie F. Butterworth	58	1	16	Coronary Heart Disease	Milford, Mass.
Aug. 24	Aubrey K. Allen	50	2	25	Carcinoma of Rectum	Natick, Mass.
Sept. 2	Francis E. Tomilson	64	..	21	Hemolytic Jaundice	Fay Creek, N. B.
Sept. 23	James Thomas Cyr	..	3	1	Catarrhal Bronchitis	Hopedale, Mass.
Oct. 13	Harry S. Glenn	53	11	21	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis	Houlton, Maine
Oct. 19	Ida E. B. Woodbury	78	..	..	Arterio Sclerosis	Rhinebeck, N. Y.
Nov. 1	Julia K. O'Connell	87	5	15	Embolism	Ireland
Nov. 2	Marion R. Presho	..	..	17	Inanition	Milford, Mass.
Nov. 17	Addie E. M. Clark	76	..	5	Broncho Pneumonia	Milford, Mass.
Nov. 21	Clara E. I. Darling	80	3	17	Cardiac Failure	Milford, Mass.
Dec. 11	Hatoun K. Kenlian	85	..	..	Myocarditis	Armenia
Dec. 22	William W. Knights	65	2	9	Angina Pectoris	Milford, Mass.
Dec. 26	Lillian N. H. Harvey	49	5	3	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Upton, Mass.
Dec. 31	Susannah A. L. Peavey	63	2	20	Myocarditis	England

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1932.

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR., TREASURER, in account with
THE TOWN OF HOPEDALE.

To balance from 1932 account	$46,394 94
To balance from General Draper High School account	1,892 84
Collector of Taxes, 1932 account	124,098 04
Collector of Taxes, 1931 account	51 20
Collector of Taxes, sewer tax	360 00
Collector of Taxes, (State of Mass.) refund on Old Age Assistance	21 00
Collector of Taxes, Excise Tax	4,561 19
Corporation Tax, Railroad, Telephone and Telegraph Co., account, 1930	22
Corporation Tax, Railroad, Telephone & Telegraph Co., account, 1931	1 79
Corporation Tax, Railroad, Telephone & Telegraph Co., account, 1932	236 54
Corporation Tax, Business, 1932 account	15,022 82
National Bank Tax, 1930 account	233 01
National Bank Tax, 1931 account	116 32
National Bank Tax, 1932 account	364 97
Trust Company Tax, 1930 account	36 30
Trust Company Tax, 1931 account	3 80
Trust Company Tax, 1932 account	61 15
Income Tax, 1932 account (State Valuation)	8,841 00
Income Tax, 1932 account	380 00

Old Age Assistance Tax	1,567 00
Income Tax, 1932 account (Educational)	4,310 00
Gasoline Tax (Highway Dep't.)....	4,371 29
Tuition State Wards (School Dep't.)	1,036 04
Vocational Training (School Dep't.)	190 69
City of Boston, account (City Wards) (School Dep't.)	718 49
Borrowed Money:	
Draper Corporation	40,000 00
Interest on War Bonus	89 85
Cemetery:	
Trust Fund Income	8 25
Fire Department:	
Sundries	24 78
Highway Department:	
Sundries	375 68
Incidental Department:	
Pedlars' Licenses	32 00
Gas and Denatured Alcohol licenses	7 00
Milk and Cream licenses	11 50
Dog licenses	59 40
Sealer of Weights and Measures, fees of	54 73
Cancelled insurance	2 61
Town Hall boiler repairs account	150 00
Interest:	
On bank deposits	253 55
Library Department:	
Dog licenses	317 68
Fines, sale of books, etc.	189 18
Trust fund income	2,584 55
Park Department:	
Sundries	1 50

Trust fund income		87 23
Department of Public Welfare:		
Dependent Mothers' account		607 74
State of Massachusetts, temporary aid		8 57
State Aid		260 00
Trust fund interest		270 98
Sundries		18 00
School Department:		
Sundries		794 97
Town Hall:		
Rents account		1,555 00
Tree Warden Department:		
Sundries		656 79
		$263,292 18
By amounts paid:		
Borrowed money	$40,000 00	
Board of Health	239 90	
Cemetery	108 25	
County Taxes	9,251 00	
Fire Department	14,207 53	
Highway Department	19,454 12	
Incidental Department	3,619 02	
Incidental Department (Old Age Assistance)	3,901 00	
Incidental Department (State Aid)	240 00	
Incidental Department, Tuberculosis Hospital	1,018 36	
Insurance	2,874 60	
Interest on borrowed money	553 34	
Library Department	6,084 40	
Dog Taxes	59 40	
Memorial Day	240 00	
Park Department	3,413 95	
Public Welfare Department	15,297 07	

Police Department	7,461 95	
State Taxes	52,658 26	
School Department	49,529 69	
School Department (Vocational Training)	1,000 00	
Town Hall account	3,137 56	
Tree Warden Department	1,916 90	
General Draper High School Bonds matured	7,000 00	
General Draper High School Bond interest	3,750 00	
Soldiers' relief	2,231 00	
Balance:		
General account	9,755 33	
General Draper High School account	1,892 84	
War Bonus account	2,182 77	
Library Special account	213 94	
		$263,292 18

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS, TRANSFERS, CASH RECEIPTS AND BALANCES FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

	Sundry Receipts of Depts.	Appro-priations and Transfers.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Fire Department:—				
General Account	$ 24 78	$8,500 00	$ 8,500 00	
New Hose		600 00	588 00	$12 00
Brush Fires		200 00	199 53	47
Hydrants		4,920 00	4,920 00	
Board of Public Welfare, including Dependent Mothers' and Old Age Assistant Account	905 29	19,770 98	18,229 07	1,541 91
Library Department:—	3,091 41	6,298 34	6,084 40	213 94
School Department:—				
General Account	1,513 46	52,000 00	49,529 69	2,470 31
Vocational Training	190 69	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Bonds Matured		7,000 00	7,000 00	
Interest on Bonds		3,750 00	3,750 00	
Highway Department:—				
General Account	375 68	15,000 00	14,696 01	303 99
Street Lighting		4,800 00	4,758 11	41 89
Park Department:—	88 73	3,587 23	3,413 95	173 28
Incidental Department:—				
General Account	231 48	4,000 00	3,619 02	380 98
Board of Health		300 00	239 90	60 10
Memorial Day		240 00	240 00	
Town Hall Account	1,555 00	3,200 00	3,137 56	62 44
State Tax		52,658 26	52,658 26	
County Tax		9,251 00	9,251 00	
County Tax, Tubercular Hospital		1,018 36	1,018 36	
Police Department		7,500 00	7,461 95	38 05
Insurance	2 61	2,900 00	2,874 60	25 40
Cemetery	8 25	108 25	108 25	
State Aid	260 00	320 00	240 00	80 00
Dog Taxes	59 40	59 40	59 40	
Interest	253 55	1,000 00	553 34	446 66
Soldiers' Relief		2,650 00	2,231 00	419 00
Borrowed Money	40,000 00	40,000 00	40,000 00	
State of Massachusetts	35,039 00			
Collector of Taxes	129,070 43			
Interest on War Bonus	89 85			
Old Age Assistance Tax	1,588 00	969 00	969 00	
Tree Warden Department:—	656 79	2,000 00	1,916 90	83 10
Totals,	$215,004 40	$255,600 82	$249,247 30	$ 6,353 52

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1932	$48,287 78	
Total receipts for year 1932	215,004 40	
		$263,292 18
Total cash disbursements for year 1932		249,247 30
Balance in General Fund	9,755 33	
Balance in General Draper High School Fund	1,892 84	
Balance in War Bonus Account	2,182 77	
Balance in Library Special Account	213 94	
Total cash on hand December 31, 1932		$14,044 88

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Library Department.

By balance from last account		$56,725 29
To 9600 Chi. Milw. St. Paul and Pacific Adj. Mort. Gold Bonds, 2000	$6,960 00	
2400 Chi., Milw., St. Paul and Pacific 5% Mort. Gold Bonds, 1975	2,340 00	
8000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	7,776 00	
10000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	8,315 44	
9000 U. K. Gt. B. & I., 5½, 1937	9,128 75	
4000 B. & O. Ry. 5's, 2000	4,098 53	
4000 Inter. Paper 6's, 1955	4,068 50	
1000 Govt. of Argentine 6's, 1960	998 25	
5000 B. & M. Railroad 5's, 1967	4,722 50	
3000 Pennsylvania Co., 1963	2,893 50	
2000 Lawyers Mtge. Investment Corp. of Boston, 1939	1,960 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	3,463 82	
	$56,725 29	$56,725 29

Detail of Library Trust Fund.

Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund	$1,095 60
Estate of Joseph B. Bancroft, Bancroft Fund	1,095 60
Lilla B. Bracken, Sarah M. Whipple Fund	1,095 60
Estate Lura B. Day, Bancroft-Day Fund	5,305 94
Estate Lura B. Day, Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	18,926 30
Estate Frances E. Colburn, Frances E. Colburn Fund	9,715 15
Estate Ruth Day Williams, Bancroft-Day Fund	19,491 10
	$56,725 29

Public Welfare Department.

By balance from last account		$5,153 43
To 1000 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	$972 00	
1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	802 00	
2000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co., 5½'s, 1949	1,992 50	
1000 U. K. Gt. B. & I., 5½'s, 1937	1,010 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	376 93	
	$5,153 43	$5,153 43

Detail of Public Welfare Department Trust Fund.

Estate Jessie Preston Draper	$5,153 43

Park Department.

By balance from last account		$1,666 38
1000 U. K. Gt. B. & I., 5½'s, 1937	$1,010 00	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	170 38	
	$1,666 38	$1,666 38

Detail of Park Trust Fund.

William F., George A. and Eben S. Draper	$1,666 38

Hopedale Village Cemetery.

Perpetual Care Fund.

By balance from last account		$2,832 21
To 1000 Southern Ry. 4's, 1956	$802 00	
1000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½'s, 1949	996 25	
500 Amer. Tel. & Tel. 5's, 1960	486 00	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank	547 96	
	$2,832 21	$2,832 21

Detail of Cemetery Trust Funds.

Burlingame Lot	$112 44
Sarah M. Whipple	112 44
Sally Whipple	112 44
Margaret Humphrey	281 07
Joseph B. Bancroft	562 15
Frank J. and Grace M. Dutcher	522 86
S. B. Holbrook	112 44
L. H. Ballou	224 86
Mary Draper	15 73
A. T. Field, account Thwing lot	168 64
P. W. Moody, account Lot No. 45	56 21
W. G. Comstock	56 21
Mary J. Jacques	112 44
J. A. Edmands	112 44
George Scriven	73 07
George H. Cole	112 44
Frank H. French	84 33
	$2,832 21

Town Cemetery.

Perpetual Care Fund.

By balance from last account		$194 41
To deposit Milford Savings Bank	$194 41	
	$194 41	$194 41

Detail of Town Cemetery Funds.

Estate of Emily Albee	$83 31
Estate of Medora Whitney	111 10
	$194 41

Summary of All Funds.

For Year Ending December 31, 1932.

Library Department	$56,725 29
Public Welfare Department	5,153 43
Park Department	1,666 38
Hopedale Village Cemetery	2,832 21
Town Cemetery	194 41
	$66,571 72

Investments.

5000 B. & M. R. R. 5% Bonds, 1967	$4,722 50
3000 Pennsylvania Co. 4¾% Bonds, 1963	2,893 50
2000 Lawyers' Mtge. Investment Corp. 5's, of Boston, 1939	1,960 00
3000 Puget Sound P. & L. Co., 5½% Bonds, 1949	2,988 75
9600 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Adj., 5% Bonds, 2000	6,960 00
2400 Chi., Mil., St. P. and Pacific Mtge. 5% Bonds, 1975	2,340 00
10000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 5% Bonds, 1960	9,720 00
11000 U. K. Gt. B. & I. 5½% Bonds, 1937	11,148 75
12000 Southern Ry. 4% Bonds, 1956	9,919 44
4000 B. & O. Railway 5% Bonds, 2000	4,098 53
4000 Inter. Paper 6% Bonds, 1955	4,068 50
1000 Argentine Nation 6% Bonds, 1960	998 25
Milford Savings Bank	4,753 50
	$66,571 72

INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932 ..... $3,075 15

Paid Library Department	$2,554 68	
Paid Public Welfare Department	270 98	
Paid Park Department	87 23	
Paid Hopedale Village Cemetery	143 25	
Paid Incidental Department, account Town Cemetery	8 25	
	$3,075 15	$3,075 15

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

By Appropriation			$4,000 00
To Selectmen:			
Salaries	$475 00		
Expenses	210 00		
		$685 50	
Treasurer:			
Salary	$250 00		
Expenses	162 41		
		$412 41	
Town Clerk:			
Salary	$50 00		
Expenses	81 48		
		$131 48	
Tax Collector:			
Salary	$400 00		
Bond $180.00 less credit on collections of $50.00	130 00		
Expenses	124 37		
		$654 37	
Assessors:			
Salary	$250 00		
Expenses	406 07		
		$656 07	
Elections and Registrations:			
Salaries	$110 00		
Expenses	256 46		
		$366 46	

Inspection:			
Salaries	$125 00		
Expenses	8 35		
		$133 35	
Tree Warden:			
Salary		$100 00	
Auditor:			
Salary		$50 00	
Sundry and Unclassified:			
Printing Town Reports	$264 00		
Certification of Town Notes	4 00		
Refund Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	87 63		
Bond, Chief of Police	5 00		
Misc. Printing	13 75		
Dog Officer Expense	52 50		
W. W. Watson, Death returns	2 50		
		$429 38	
Unexpended Balance		380 98	
		$4,000 00	$4,000 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

By Appropriation		$240 00
To Post 22, G. A. R.	$100 00	
Post 267, A. L.	100 00	
Spanish War Veterans	40 00	
	$240 00	$240 00

POLICE.

By Appropriation		$7,500 00
To Salaries	$6,456 95	
Expenses	1,005 00	
Unexpended Balance	38 05	
	$7,500 00	$7,500 00

TOWN HALL.

By Appropriation		$3,200 00
To Janitor Service	$1,404 00	
Heating	775 50	
Lighting	281 58	
Water	54 03	
Repairs and Supplies	256 88	
Boiler Repairs	365 57	
Unexpended Balance	62 44	
	$3,200 00	$3,200 00

INSURANCE.

By Appropriation		$2,900 00
To Orders Drawn	$2,874 60	
Unexpended Balance	25 40	
	$2,900 00	$2,900 00

CEMETERIES.

By Appropriation		$100 00
Trust Fund Interest		8 25
To Orders Drawn	$108 25	
	$108 25	$108 25

STATE AID.

By Appropriation		$320 00
To Orders Drawn	$240 00	
Unexpended Balance	80 00	
	$320 00	$320 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

By Appropriation		$2,650 00
To Orders Drawn	$2,231 00	
Unexpended Balance	419 00	
	$2,650 00	$2,650 00

GENERAL DRAPER HIGH SCHOOL BONDS AND INTEREST.

By Appropriation		$10,750 00
To Maturing Bonds	$7,000 00	
Interest	3,750 00	
	$10,750 00	$10,750 00

INTEREST.

By Appropriation		$1,000 00
To Interest on Borrowed Money	$553 34	
Unexpended Balance	446 66	
	$1,000 00	$1,000 00

TAXES.

State Tax		$7,410 00
County Tax		9,251 00
Tuberculosis Hospital		1,018 36
Old Age Assistance Tax		969 00
Auditing Municipal Accounts		154 99
Repairs to State Highway		84 00
Veterans' Exemption Tax		58
State Parks and Reservation Tax		8 69
Corporation Tax, Foreign (1920)		22,423 67
Corporation Tax, Foreign 1920	76 33	

1921	22,500 00	
		$22,576 33
Dog Tax		59 40
		$63,956 02

CHARLES F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Board of Selectmen.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

To Vital Statistics	$71 50	
Care of patient at Tubercular Hospital	92 00	
Sundries	76 40	
Unexpended Balance	60 10	
	$300 00	$300 00
By Appropriation		$300 00

There were 3 licenses issued to sell Denatured Alcohol.

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

No complaints.

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Fence Viewers.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

By Appropriation		$19,500 00
Trust Fund Interest		270 98
To Cash	$7,095 16	
Rent	2,986 75	
Food	2,063 66	
Fuel	857 40	
Clothing	119 07	
Medical	569 50	
Hospital	421 00	
Old Age Assistance	2,932 00	
Sundries	1,184 53	
Unexpended Balance	1,541 91	
	$19,770 98	$19,770 98

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,
Board of Public Welfare.

APPRAISEMENT OF TOWN PROPERTY

DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Town House	$80,000 00
Town House lot	1,000 00
Town House, store fixtures	100 00
Town House, post office equipment	1,200 00

SCHOOLS.

School House, Hopedale Street	$40,000 00
School House lot, ½ acre	600 00
School House, South Hopedale	2,000 00
School House lot, 1 acre	300 00
School House, Dutcher Street	70,000 00
School House lot, 1 acre	1,200 00
School House, Park Street	60,000 00
School House lot, Park Street	1,000 00
High School Building	25,000 00
High School Building land, 3 acres	1,000 00
General Draper High School Building, Adin St.	120,000 00
General Draper High School lot, Adin St.	2,000 00
School Bus	2,000 00

LIBRARY.

Bancroft Memorial Library (Building)	$60,000 00
Public Library (Books and Fixtures)	35,000 00
Mrs. Susan Preston Draper Fountain	15,000 00
Library Lot	2,000 00

PARK.

Band Stand	$1,800 00
Comfort Station	1,200 00
Bath House	3,000 00
Tool House	100 00
Darling Hill Shelter	500 00

Fisherman's Island Shelter	500 00
Maroney Grove Shelter	500 00
Land, 262 acres	20,500 00

FIRE.

Apparatus	$31,500 00
Fire Station	40,000 00
Fire Station lot	2,000 00

POLICE.

Equipment	$250 00

TREE WARDEN.

Spraying Outfit	$800 00
Small Tools and Materials	100 00

HIGHWAY PROPERTY.

Five Snow Plows	$50 00
Small Tools	200 00
Buildings and Land	2,000 00
Road Machine	25 00
Road Machine	50 00
Sweeper	25 00
Steam Roller	750 00
Tractor and Two Plows	500 00
3 Ton Auto Truck and Equipment	500 00
2 Ton Auto Truck	150 00
1 Ton G. M. C. Truck	150 00

CHAS. F. AUSTIN,
ASA A. WESTCOTT,
HORACE J. BAUM,

Selectmen of Hopedale.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

General Appropriation		$15,000 00
Expenditures:		
Labor—General:		
Supervision	$2,756 00	
Repairs to Streets, Roads, etc	983 90	
Cleaning Streets	2,225 45	
Sidewalk Repairs	2,010 80	
Snow Removal	695 70	
Cleaning Yard	73 20	
Jobbing, etc.	751 40	
Bridge Repairs	102 90	
Signs and Signals	11 30	
		$9,610 65
Material, Supplies, Etc.:		
Tarvia	$786 39	
Trap Rock, Stone, etc.	234 00	
Bridge Repairs	123 79	
Sidewalks—Tarvia, etc.	1,123 94	
Snow Plow and Parts	291 00	
New Tractor and Parts	349 27	
Small Tools and Supplies	392 15	
		$3,300 54
Trucks and Maintenance:		
Gasoline and Oil	$467 01	
Tires and Chains	368 35	
Repairs, Supplies, etc.	429 77	
Registrations	8 00	
		$1,273 13
General Expense:		
Telephone, Lights and Water	$87 69	
Sewer Fees (1931-1932)	360 00	
Hospital, etc., account Injuries	14 00	

Clerical	50 00	
		$511 69
Total Expenditures		$14,696 01
Balance Unexpended		303 99

New Sidewalks Built in 1932:

Daniels Street	3826	Sq. Ft.
Dutcher Street	2262	Sq. Ft.
Mendon Street	1915.5	Sq. Ft.
Hopedale Street	2164.5	Sq. Ft.
Park Street	4123	Sq. Ft.
Dennett Street	2262	Sq. Ft.
	16,553	Sq. Ft. or 1,839 Sq. Yds.

Sidewalks Resurfaced in 1932:

Draper Street	2100	Sq. Ft.
Adin Street	1416	Sq. Ft.
Highland Street	2200	Sq. Ft.
Dutcher Street	3306	Sq. Ft.
Hopedale Street	13692	Sq. Ft.
Peace Street	4008	Sq. Ft.
Hope Street	2728	Sq. Ft.
Progress Street	793	Sq. Ft.
	30,243	Sq. Ft. or 3,360 Sq. Yds.

STREET LIGHTING.

General Appropriation	$4,800 00
Electric Current Service	4,758 11
Balance Unexpended	$41 89

Respectfully submitted,

G. RUSSELL GOFF,
THOMAS H. WEST, 3RD,
RAYMOND SMETHURST,
Road Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

By Appropriation		$8,500 00
To Pay Roll	$6,602 00	
Fuel	886 54	
Water	73 62	
Light	120 96	
Alarm	84 00	
Telephone	117 57	
Apparatus	275 94	
Sundries	339 37	
	$8,500 00	$8,500 00

HOSE.

By Appropriation		$600 00
To Henry K. Barnes Company	$588 00	
Unexpended Balance	12 00	
	$600 00	$600 00

BRUSH FIRES.

By Appropriation		$200 00
To General Chemical Company	$24 95	
Wm. J. Seaver	2 65	
G. & U. R. R. Co.	93	
Waite Hardware Company	3 00	
Pay of Firemen	168 00	
Unexpended Balance	47	
	$200 00	$200 00

HYDRANTS.

By Appropriation		$4,920 00
To Milford Water Co.	$4,920 00	
	$4,920 00	$4,920 00

ROSTER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1932.

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

Samuel E. Kellogg, Chief.

F. G. Crockett, Assistant Chief,

W. E. Whitney, Second Assistant.

Clerk for Engineers—Wm. Ferguson.

MEMBERS.

Ladder No. 1.

J. J. Grant, Captain
A. Howarth, Lieutenant
C. E. Barrows, Clerk
R. Sadler
D. Lescoe
S. Barrows

Henry Cyr
Davis Sanborn

Substitutes.
John Francis
Gus Safstrom

Combination No. 1.

W. E. Taylor, Captain
Milton Doxey, Lieutenant
G. A. Fuller, Clerk-Treas.
George Bayley
Fred Lee
Harry Scanlon
Asa Jones

John Stanas
Norman Downing
William Bird

Substitutes.
Everett Coffin
Roy Weaver

Chemical No. 1.

J. A. Hanley, Capt.-Treas.
G. P. Shepherd, Lieut.-Clerk
Charles Young
Charles Watson
Paul Cox
John Creamer
Howard Whitney

A. J. Clements

Substitutes.
W. A. Shanahan
Peter Allen
Victor Yorke

Caretakers.

A. W. Lamb
Harold Ward
John Edward Allen

Spare Drivers.

M. J. Creamer
M. Doxey
Paul Cox
John Creamer
G. A. Fuller
Charles Watson

RECORD OF FIRES

1932.

Jan.	8.	9.00 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence W. Eastwood, 35 Progress St.
Jan.	8.	6.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence of G. Clark.
Jan.	15.	8.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence A. Montoni, 9 Elmwood St.
Jan.	28.	4.00 P. M.	Box 64.	Barn owned by Albert Dec.
Feb.	1.	10.00 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Automobile on Mendon St.
Mar.	2.	9.15 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence E. Chichester, 86 Hopedale St.
Mar.	5.	11.30 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Rescued dog from pond.
Mar.	10.	6.50 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, at residence of Rev. Vernon Deming, 19 Union St.
Mar.	12.	12.45 A. M.	Box 74.	Residence of Michael Hoothay, Hartford Ave.
Mar.	12.	2.45 A. M.	Box 74.	Second alarm on above fire.
Mar.	16.	12.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Garage of Everett Smith, 9 Plain St.

Mar. 16.	9.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence A. E. Matthewson, 21 Cemetery St.
Mar. 26.	1.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire on Park land.
Mar. 30.	11.15 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire in Spindleville.
Apr. 1.	10.30 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence Mrs. Bartlett, 111 Freedom St.
Apr. 1.	3.30 P. M.	Box 38.	Grass fire, north of Inman St.
Apr. 1.	4.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Rubbish, rear No. 54 Freedom St.
Apr. 5.	4.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire on Depot St
Apr. 15.	2.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, rear 89 Dutcher St.
Apr. 19.	11.00 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, South Main St.
Apr. 19.	1.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence F. S. Cooper, Cemetery St.
Apr. 19.	7.35 P. M.	Box 38.	False Alarm.
Apr. 20.	10.45 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Out of town call, assistance for Uxbridge.
Apr. 20.	2.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire on South Main St.
Apr. 21.	5.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, rear Inman St. Garage.
Apr. 22.	8.40 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, South Main St.
May 3.	6.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Green St.
May 8.	2.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Jones Road.
May 14.	9.15 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence Mr. C. Metcalf, 35 Freedom St.

May	15.	4.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire on Park Land.
May	26.	5.00 P. M.	Box 59.	Residence of Mr. F. A. Lapworth, 30 Mendon St.
May	28.	4.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence C. Miller, 250 Dutcher St. (no service).
June	14.	11.30 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence Geo. Damon (no service).
June	20.	10.25 A. M.	Box 46.	Blacksmith Shop owned by Hopedale Coal and Ice Co.
June	29.	8.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Removed horse from mud hole.
July	3.	8.45 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence Peter Jackson, 117 Jones Road.
July	4.	12.30 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Lumber fire on Mellon St.
July	4.	12.20 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, Home Park Avenue.
July	11.	4.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Mendon Hill.
July	21.	4.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Mendon Hill.
July	21.	8.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Recalled to above fire.
July	22.	10.10 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Recalled to above fire.
July	24.	2.20 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Recalled to above fire.
July	25.	6.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Recalled to above fire.
July	25.	11.45 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Gleason's Corner.
Sept	25.	7.30 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Residence Mrs. John Moore (no service).
Oct.	13.	6.45 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence Frank Cooper, Cemetery St.
Oct.	22.	1.45 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Brush fire, Green St.

Oct.	31.	7.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Adin St.
Oct.	31.	8.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Adin St.
Oct.	31.	9.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Adin St.
Oct.	31.	10.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Adin St.
Oct.	31.	11.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Hopedale St.
Oct.	31.	11.30 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Leaves on Hopedale St.
Nov.	2.	7.45 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence Carleton Metcalf, 135 Freedom St.
Nov.	9.	10.15 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Same as above (no service).
Nov.	9.	2.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Chimney fire, residence C. Rowe, 119 Freedom St.
Nov.	29.	1.15 A. M.	Still Alarm.	Freedom Street Dump.
Nov.	29.	4.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Railroad ties on Park Land.
Nov.	29.	5.15 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Railroad ties and grass on Park Land.
Dec.	1.	2.00 P. M.	Still Alarm.	Grass fire, near Sewer Beds.

PROPERTY.

Combination No. 1	$13,000 00
Combination No. 2	1,000 00
Chemical No. 1	2,000 00
Ladder No. 1	5,000 00
Forest Fire Truck	800 00
Chief's Car	500 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph	5,500 00
Hose (7000 feet in good condition)	3,200 00
Extinguishers, supplies, etc.	500 00
	$31,500 00

1932.

HOPEDALE
FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

Box.

25. Draper Corp. Yard—Shipping Platform.
26. Hopedale Street—Opposite Union.
27. Dutcher Street—Central Station.
32. Union Street—Corner Prospect.
33. Dutcher Street—Corner Freedom.
35. Northrop Street—Corner Freedom.
36. Northrop Street—Between Park and Oak Streets.
37. Dutcher Street—Corner Dennett.
38. Dutcher Street—Opposite F. E. Douglas'.
39. Dutcher Street—Opposite C. E. Nutting's.
42. Bancroft Park—West Side.
43. Lake Street—South Side.
45. Freedom Street—West of Bridge.
46. Hope Street—Near Coal & Ice Co. Office.
53. Hopedale Street—Corner Adin.
57. Adin Street—Opposite E. S. Draper's.
58. Daniels Street—Corner Highland.
59. Mendon Street—Near Highland Street.
62. Mendon Street—Corner Hopedale.
64. Westcott's Mills—Spindleville.
65. Mendon Street—Corner Hill.
72. Blanchard's Corner, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).
74. Green Store, South Hopedale (Tel. Box).

SIGNALS.

1 Blast—Chief of Department or Squad Call.
2 Blasts—All Out, or Recall.
8 Blasts—Forest Fire, or House Call.
Box Test Saturdays at 5.30 P. M.—One Round.
Phones: Central Station 670
Chief 248-W

S. E. KELLOGG,
F. G. CROCKETT,
W. E. WHITNEY,
Board of Fire Engineers.

In Memoriam

WILLIAM WHEELOCK KNIGHTS

1867—1932

TAX COLLECTOR

MARCH 7, 1910—MARCH 3, 1913

ASSESSOR

MARCH 3, 1913—DECEMBER 22, 1932

ASSESSORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Valuation of Real Estate excluding land			$2,039,880 00
Valuation of Real Estate excluding buildings			349,739 00
Total Value of Real Estate			$2,389,619 00
Valuation of Personal Estate			1,734,485 00
Total Valuation			$4,124,104 00
Tax Rate per $1000	$29 50		
Tax on Property		$121,662 41	
Number of Polls Assessed	952		
Tax on each Poll	$2 00		
Tax on Polls		$1,904 00	
Number of "Old Age Assistance Tax" Assessed	969		
Tax on each	$1 00		
Total on Old Age Assistance Tax		$969 00	
Committed on Motor Vehicle Excise Tax		$4,772 60	
Total amount raised by Taxation			$129,308 01
Corporation Tax, Public Service, 1930			22
Corporation Tax, Public Service, 1931			1 79
Corporation Tax, Public Service, 1932			236 54
Corporation Tax, Business, 1932			15,022 82
Bank Tax, 1930			233 01
Bank Tax, 1931			116 32

Bank Tax, 1932	364 97
Trust Company Tax, 1930	36 30
Trust Company Tax, 1931	3 80
Trust Company Tax, 1932	61 15
Income Tax, 1932	13,531 00
Gasolene Tax	4,371 29
Old Age Assistance Tax	1,567 00
	$164,854 22

Number of persons assessed on property	536
Number of polls assessed	952
Number of horses assessed	28
Number of cows assessed	58
Number of neat cattle assessed	31
Number of swine assessed	17
Number of fowl assessed	1805
Number of dwelling houses assessed	582
Acres of land assessed	2898
Population	2995

GEORGE W. LUNT,
WARREN W. DUTCHER,
Assessors.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

1931 Taxes.

Motor Vehicle Excise.

Uncollected at last report	$49 17	
Fees collected	3 15	
By Cash paid A. A. Jovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		$51 20
Taxes abated		1 12
	$52 32	$52 32

1932 Taxes.

Real Estate, Personal Estate, Old Age Assistance and Poll.

To Committed for collection	$124,535 41	
Interest collected	26 12	
Fees collected	37 40	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		$124,098 04
Old Age Assistance Taxes paid by State Treasurer		21 00
Taxes abated		314 19
Uncollected		165 70
	$124,598 93	$124,598 93

Motor Vehicle Excise.

To Committed for collection	$4,772 60	
Interest collected	6 76	
Fees collected	30 40	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		$4,561 19
Taxes abated		213 44
Uncollected		35 13
	$4,809 76	$4,809 76

Sewer Assessments.

To Committed for collection	$360 00	
By Cash paid A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer		$360 00
	$360 00	$360 00

EUGENE S. NEWHALL,

Collector.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

By Appropriation, including suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths		$2,000 00
Tools	$73 03	
Incidentals	53 74	
Spraying and Moth material	327 82	
Labor	1,462 31	
Balance unexpended	83 10	
	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
There was returned to the Town Treasurer for work done for outside parties for 1932		$656 79
Summary of charges as above	$1,916 90	
Less returned for work done	656 79	
Net expense of Department	$1,260 11	

FRANK S. CLARK,

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1932.

To the Board of Selectmen, Hopedale, Mass.:—
Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report for the year as Inspector. An inspection of all cattle and swine, and the premises where the same are kept, was made during the year 1932 and report sent to the State.

Respectfully submitted,
A. W. LAMB,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Hopedale, Mass., Dec. 31, 1932.

To the Board of Selectmen, Hopedale, Mass.:—
Gentlemen:—

I submit to you my report as Inspector of Slaughtering. Have had to make one inspection this year.

Respectfully submitted,
A. W. LAMB,
Inspector of Slaughtering.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

I have tested and sealed the following scales, weights and measures:

11 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
32 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.
7 Computing scales.
46 Counter scales.
5 Beam scales.
8 Spring scales over 100 lbs.
19 Spring scales under 100 lbs.
1 Apothecary scale.
242 Weights.
35 Liquid measures.
4 Yard sticks.
12 Measuring pumps.
1 Balance counter.
1 Lumber scale.
1 Beamington counter.

I have adjusted the following:

6 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
9 Platform scales under 5,000 lbs.

I have inspected:

19 Milk wagons and trucks.
12 Oil trucks.
2 Junk wagons.
201 Pedlers' licenses.

I have collected in fees and turned over to the Town Treasurer, $54.73.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS W. BARROWS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

I have examined and verified the financial transactions of the Town of Hopedale as recorded on the books of the several departments, and find that the disbursements are covered by paid bills which correspond with the orders drawn on, and paid by, the Town Treasurer.

The books and accounts of the Town Treasurer I have examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts I have checked wherever possible with the sources from which money was paid to the Town Treasurer. The payments were checked with the orders authorizing the disbursement of town funds. I have verified the cash balance on hand as of December 31, 1932 by a reconciliation of the accounts with the statements furnished by the banks.

I have examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and find them to be correct. The commitments of taxes and abatements were proved and checked to the assessors' records. The amounts covering fees and interest were verified, and all payments to the Treasurer were checked to the Treasurer's Cash Book.

In accordance with Section 53 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as amended, I have examined and checked the securities and savings bank accounts representing the investment of the Trust Funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer, and find that they are as stated in the Town Treasurer's report on trust funds.

Respectfully submitted,

S. WALTER BATTY,

Auditor.

THE THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF

PARK COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Available for Use of Park Department.

General Appropriation	$3,500 00
Interest on Trust Fund	87 23

Expenditures.

Playgrounds.

Athletic Goods	$36 47	
Comfort Station	15 47	
Supplies, Repairs, etc.	94 12	
Labor	769 18	
		$915 24

Bath House.

Supplies, etc.	$99 49	
Labor	569 99	
		$669 48

Park Reservation.

Roads and Paths	$193 84	
Labor	1,082 95	
Shelter Repairs (Fisherman's Island)	120 00	
		$1,396 79

Ballou Lot.

Labor	$104 02	
Water	6 00	
		$110 02

Adin Street Lot.

Labor	$176 84	

Other Charges.

Fertilizer	$50 00	
Tools	74 25	
Incidentals	21 33	
Balance Unexpended	173 28	
	$3,587 23	$3,587 23

FRANK S. CLARK, Chairman,
RICHARD HEYWOOD, Secretary,
L. MARSHALL NEWELL,
Park Commissioners.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Available for School Department.

Appropriation		$52,000 00

Expenditures.

Supervision	$1,620 00	
Superintendent's Expenses, car-fares, etc.	203 13	
Teaching	31,456 39	
Text Books	1,046 29	
School Supplies	842 83	
Incidentals:		
Chemicals, materials for manual training, sewing, cooking supplies, etc.	964 36	
Care of Buildings	4,264 00	
Fuel	4,000 27	
Water, gas, janitors' supplies, etc.	1,275 03	
Repairs to buildings, etc.	1,020 35	
School Physician and Nurse	850 00	
Transportation	566 63	
Miscellaneous expenses, postage, graduation expenses, etc.	123 61	
Reports, printing, clerical, etc.	734 30	
Physical Training	262 50	
New Equipment	300 00	
Unexpended	2,470 31	
	$52,000 00	$52,000 00

The above figures show the Town Appropriation and the bills which have been paid for the calendar year of 1932.

The Town Treasurer has received either directly or indirectly from the School Department, the following:

Lunches	$741 75	
Telephones	7 40	
Materials sold	45 47	
Damaged property	35	
Tuition—State Wards	1,036 04	
Tuition—City of Boston Wards	718 49	
	$2,549 50	
Partial reimbursement toward amounts paid teachers and superintendent for year ending June 30, 1932, as per statement of Department of Education	$4,310 00	
		$6,859 50

VOCATIONAL TRAINING TUITION.

Appropriation		$1,000 00

EXPENDITURES.

Worcester Industrial School	$1,000 00	
	$1,000 00	$1,000 00

The State Department of Education will reimburse the Town during the year 1933 for approximately one-half of the above expenditure.

G. RUSSELL GOFF, Chairman,
HAMILTON W. THAYER,
HENRIETTA LAPWORTH,
School Committee.

School Directory, 1932-1933.

Office of Superintendent of Schools: High School Building, Telephone 1630. Superintendent, Carroll H. Drown. Clerk, Laura M. Drown.

Office open 8-12 A. M. and 1-5.30 P. M. on school days and during Summer vacation. Employment and Educational Certificates granted at any time during office hours.

Telephone Connections: High School, Milford 1630; Dutcher Street School, Milford 904; Park Street School, Milford 874-R.

Teachers.

NAME.	SUBJECT OR GRADE.	LOCAL ADDRESS.
HIGH SCHOOL.		
Winburn A. Dennett, Prin.	Math. and Science	5 Dennett Street
Lucy E. Day	French and Latin	17 Daniels Street
Marshall H. Nye	History and Science	44 Bancroft Park
Adelaide Schneider	English and Latin	88 Dutcher Street
Lucille R. Ambler	Commercial and English	34 Dutcher Street
Harriet B. Sornborger	Librarian	16 Dutcher Street
DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL.		
Junior High, Grades 7-8		
Donald E. Allison, Prin.	Arith., Gen. Sci., Geog., Hyg.	West Medway, Mass.
Mildred E. Cressey	Lang., Lit., Read., Hyg.	59 Prospect Street
Lillian A. Smyth	Hist., Civ., Geog., Hyg.	Uxbridge, Mass.
Jessie L. Gover	Grade Six	7 West Street, Milford
Lillian T. Knight	Grades Five and Six	6 So. Main St., Milford
Gladys R. Crowell	Grades Four and Five	3 Beech Street
CHAPEL STREET SCHOOL.		
Mildred A. Goodenough	Grade Three	South Milford
Jennie E. Sherbert	Grade Two	West Medway, Mass.
Ida Gibbs	Grade One	30 Prospect Street
Wilma A. Mason	Kindergarten	34 Dutcher Street
Hilma Collier	Kindergarten Assistant	6 Highland Street
PARK STREET SCHOOL.		
Antoinette F. Batchelor, Prin.	Grade Four	10 Mendon Street
Olive E Bowen	Grades Two and Three	119 Dutcher Street
Iona M. Crowell	Grade One	3 Beech Street
SPECIAL TEACHERS.		
Amy Young Burns	Music	275 Beacon Street, Boston
Clarice E. Seagrave	Drawing	Uxbridge, Mass.

School Nurse—

Helen C. Grady, R N., District Nursing Association, Tel. Milford 862.
Mildred Salmond, Assistant

School Janitors—Joseph W. Gibbs, Foreman, Tel. Milford 427-15. Ernest A. Parkinson, High School. John H. Holbrook, Dutcher and Chapel Street School. Wilbur E. Sweet, Park Street School.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1933.

ELEMENTARY GRADES AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

First Winter Term	January 3—February 17 Vacation One Week	Seven Weeks
Second Winter Term	February 27—April 21 Vacation One Week	Eight Weeks
Spring Term	May 1—June 23 Summer Vacation	Eight Weeks
Fall Term	September 6—December 15 Vacation Two Weeks	Fifteen Weeks
First Winter Term	Opens January 2, 1934	

HIGH SCHOOL.

First Winter Term	December 28, 1932— February 17 Vacation One Week	Eight Weeks
Second Winter Term	February 27—April 21 Vacation One Week	Eight Weeks
Spring Term	May 1—June 23 Summer Vacation	Eight Weeks
Fall Term	September 6—December 22 Vacation One Week	Sixteen Weeks
First Winter Term	Opens January 2, 1934	

LEGAL HOLIDAYS, 1933.

January 2, February 22, April 19, May 30, September 4, October 12, November 11, November 30, December 25.

REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

No child can enter the first grade unless such child shall become six years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter. For entrance to the first grade this coming fall a child must be six years of age on or before October 1, 1933.

No child can enter the kindergarten unless such child shall become five years of age on or before October 1 following the opening of the fall term he wishes to enter. For a child to enter the kindergarten this coming fall he must be five years of age on or before October 1, 1933.

As required by law, a birth certificate must be presented when a child first enters school. The law also requires that all children who attend public schools shall be vaccinated.

No child can enter school after October first (except by special permission) unless he has previously attended school and presents a discharge card.

We urge that all children enter the kindergarten, as this is the school in which the work of the beginning of reading, number work, etc., is taken up. A child who enters the first grade without having attended the kindergarten is thus handicapped by not having the advantages of the beginning work given in the kindergarten.

Any pupil who has been out of school on account of a contagious disease is not to return to school until he has secured a certificate signed by a physician. The pupil is to take this certificate to the superintendent's office, where a return-to-school permit will be obtained.

PRIZE AWARDS.

General Draper High School.

PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST, MAY 20, 1932.

First Prize, Girls ..... Virginia M. A. Burke
Second Prize, Girls ..... Arlene E. Seville
First Prize, Boys ..... Ralph H. Winn
Second Prize, Boys ..... Lyman A. Draper

Sons of American Revolution.

American History Medal .....G. William Yeaton

Legion Auxiliary Prize.

For Good Citizenship Shown in School ..... Ernest R. Dalton

Patrick Peace Essay Prize.

Fourth Prize ..... Paul R. Gibbs

Junior High School.

American Legion History Medal ..... William C. Billings

We gratefully acknowledge the generous gift presented by Mrs. B. H. Bristow Draper to the school children at Christmas time. The Christmas cheer which this brings is much appreciated, especially at this time.

FORTY-SIXTH ANNUAL

GRADUATION

OF THE

HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL

TOWN HALL

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 24, 1932.

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

PROGRAMME.

Music—The Miller's Wooing ..... *Faning*

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

Invocation

REVEREND JB HOLLIS TEGARDEN

Essay—Welcome

MARGARET MARY MCGOWAN

Class Prophecy of 1932

GEORGE STANLEY DURGIN

Vocal Solo—Washington in Massachusetts .... *Van Ness Bates*

A. HALLIER JOHNSON, '33, *Baritone*

Essay—The Hoover Dam

GEORGE WILLIAM YEATON

Music

(a) Hey Nonino (6 parts) ..... *Brockway*

(b) South Carolina Croon Song ..... *Gaul*

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Reading—Purple Grackles

MARION EDITH GASKILL

Class History of 1932

DOROTHY KATHRYN ST. GEORGE

Presentation of Diplomas

Music

(a) Chillun' Come on Home (8 parts) ..... *Cain*

(b) Glory to Him ..... *Rachmaninov*

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

Reception to the Graduating Class

GRADUATES

GEORGE STANLEY DURGIN

MARION EDITH GASKILL

ARMANUHE KASABIAN

MARGARET MARY MCGOWAN

JANET SADLER..

LOUIS HENRY STANAS

DOROTHY KATHRYN ST. GEORGE

GEORGE WILLIAM YEATON

MABEL LOUISE YOUNG

CLASS OFFICERS.

President—GEORGE WILLIAM YEATON

Vice-President—MARGARET MARY MCGOWAN

Secretary—ARMANUHE KASABIAN

Treasurer—MARION EDITH GASKILL

Class Motto—JUSQU'AU BUT

Class Colors—MAROON AND SILVER

Class Flower—AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSE

GRADUATION EXERCISES
HOPEDALE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL HALL

2.00 P. M.,

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1932.

PROGRAM.

March ..... Class Processional

Invocation ..... Rev. Vernon H. Deming

Response—Spirit Divine ..... Class

Welcome ..... Gordon L. Baer

Essay—Trans-Atlantic Flights ..... Donald H. Baer

Essay—Winter in the Yosemite ..... Dorothy E. Weaver

Song—Viking Song—*Coleridge-Taylor* ..... Class

Essay—Good Citizenship ..... Arthur S. Wilson

Essay—The Great American Forests ..... E. Clayton Welch

Violin Solos—(a) Thais
(b) Elegie—*Massenet* ..... Bernice M. Scott

Essay—My Trip to the Presidential Range
William C. Billings

Essay—A Pioneer Mother ..... C. Louise Morton

Song—Music of the South—*Dvorak* ..... Class

Essay—Robert L. Ripley's "Believe It or Not" Life
Ellsworth H. Sears

Essay—Washington as a Man ..... Eben S. Lapworth

Songs—(a) O Lovely Night—*Praetorius*
(b) Country Gardens—*Traditional*
Three Part Chorus

Class Prophecy ..... Pearl V. Oak

Closing Address ..... George W. McCallum

Presentation of Diplomas
G. Russell Goff, Chairman of School Committee

Class Song

Presentation of Medal ..... American Legion

Benediction ..... Rev. Vernon H. Deming

Reception

GRADUATES.

Alves, Alfred F.
Baer, Donald H.
Baer, Gordon L.
Belforti, Carl A.
Billings, William C.
Canal, Dario W.
Clarridge, Barbara E.
Creamer, Helen M.
Deragon, Laurabell F.
Egan, John F.
Gaffney, Francis
Guglielmi, Guerino R.
Hokanson, Phyllis E.
Izzo, John D.
Lapworth, Eben S.
Leoncini, Eva R.
Look, Edith E.
MacKinnon, Rita I.
McCallum, George W.
Meade, J. Raymond
Minasian, Louise
Mintoft, Floyd
Morton, C. Louise
Nealley, Martha E.
Noferi, Olga
Oak, Pearl V.
O'Neil, Howard F.
Richardson, George E., Jr.
Ripanti, Nello
Scott, Bernice M.
Sears, Ellsworth H.
Shepherd, Edward F.
Spadoni, Ferdinand P.
Spencer, Dorothy L.
Stewart, William J., Jr.
Tontini, D. Joseph
Turner, John, Jr.
Upham, Madeline E.
Weaver, Dorothy E.
Welch, E. Clayton
Wilson, Arthur S.
Wood, Albert F.
Young, Earl R.
Young, Robert W.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES JANUARY 1, 1933 AND BY AGES OCTOBER 1, 1932.

BOYS

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Total
Kindergarten	**27**															27
Grade I		**24**	**2**	1												27
Grade II		3	**19**	**6**	1											29
Grade III				**19**	**8**	2										29
Grade IV					**12**	**4**										16
Grade V						**14**	**14**		2	1						31
Grade VI							**14**	**6**		1						21
Grade VII							1	**15**	**5**	4	6	1	1			33
Grade VIII								1	**3**	**8**	3			1		16
Total Boys of Elementary Grades	27	27	21	26	21	20	29	22	10	14	9	1	1	1		229
High School																
IX										**17**	**14**	8				39
X									1	10	**9**	**5**		1		26
XI											3	**9**	**3**	2	1	18
XII											1	2	**8**	**2**		13
Total Boys in High School									1	27	27	24	11	5	1	96
Total Boys in All Schools	27	27	21	26	21	20	29	22	11	41	36	25	12	6	1	325

GIRLS

Ages	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Total
Kindergarten	**23**	**2**														25
Grade I		**35**	**4**	1												40
Grade II		1	**21**	**7**												29
Grade III				**25**	**4**	2										31
Grade IV				1	**17**	**7**	2	1								28
Grade V						**29**	**4**	3								36
Grade VI						3	**13**	**7**			1					24
Grade VII							1	**14**	**5**	4	3	1	1			29
Grade VIII									**15**	**6**		1				22
Total Girls of Elementary Grades	23	38	25	34	21	41	20	25	20	10	4	2	1			264
High School																
IX									3	**7**	**4**	1				15
X										3	**6**	**4**		1	1	15
XI												**10**	**5**	1	1	17
XII												2	**6**	**2**		10
Total Girls in High School									3	10	10	17	11	4	2	57
Total Girls in All Schools	23	38	25	34	21	41	20	25	23	20	14	19	12	4	2	321
Grand Totals	50	65	46	60	42	61	49	47	34	61	50	44	24	10	3	646

Heavy type figures represent those of normal age for the grade.

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1931—1932.

Schools	Total Enrollment			Non-Resident	Aggregate Attendance	Average Daily Attendance	Average Membership	Enrollment October 1, 1931			Number of Pupils Not Enrolled in Any other Town in the State			No. of Pupils 5 to 7 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 7 to 14 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 14 to 16 Years of Age	No. of Pupils 16 Years of Age or Over	No. of Pupils Having Perfect Attendance	Per Cent. of Attendance
	Total	Boys	Girls					Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls						
High School	140	82	58	0	23966.	128.85	132.13	136	79	57	140	82	58	0	15	72	53	35	97.52
Dutcher St.																			
Grade 8	19	13	6	2	3311.5	18.19	18.36	19	13	6	19	13	6	0	8	10	1	4	99.04
Grade 8	37	20	17	0	6238.5	34.27	35.15	37	20	17	37	20	17	0	26	10	1	5	97.52
Grade 7	39	15	24	2	6638.5	36.47	37.77	38	15	23	38	15	23	0	32	6	0	5	96.56
Grades 6 & 7	40	27	13	0	6489.5	35.65	37.40	39	26	13	39	26	13	0	32	6	1	2	95.33
Grades 5 & 6	41	17	24	2	6785.5	37.69	40.62	41	17	24	41	17	24	0	38	3	0	5	91.92
Grades 4 & 5	39	14	25	0	6699.0	36.80	37.85	37	13	24	37	13	24	0	37	0	0	5	97.23
Chapel St.																			
Grades 3 & 4	30	16	14	0	4910.0	26.97	28.04	27	13	14	28	14	14	0	28	0	0	1	96.21
Grade 2	40	19	21	3	6793.0	37.32	38.95	38	18	20	38	18	20	33	5	0	0	2	95.68
Grade 1	44	24	20	4	6207.0	34.10	35.97	38	19	19	39	20	19	29	10	0	0	0	94.82
Kindergarten	68	30	38	4	10962.0	60.23	65.68	66	28	38	68	30	38	68	0	0	0	2	91.70
Park St.																			
Grade 4	35	19	16	1	6085.0	33.43	34.34	35	19	16	35	19	16	0	35	0	0	3	97.34
Grade 3	38	12	26	1	6391.5	35.12	36.55	38	12	26	38	12	26	0	38	0	0	2	96.08
Grades 1 & 2	41	18	23	1	6698.0	36.80	38.73	39	17	22	39	17	22	12	27	0	0	3	95.02
Totals	651	326	325	20	108175.0	591.89	617.54	628	309	319	636	316	320	142	331	107	56	74	95.03

The Trustees of the Bancroft Memorial Library present herewith the report of the Librarian and the various financial reports for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1932.

The importance of the Library to the Town is shown by the fact that over sixty percent of the inhabitants are registered borrowers of books, and the circulation equals 14 books per year for each inhabitant of the Town.

The material growth of the Library from a circulation of 17,000 volumes in 1900, the first year in its present building, to over 42,000 volumes in 1932, and the increase of over 4000 circulation and reference work over last year, shows very clearly the great appreciation of the facilities offered by the various departments of our Library.

The Trustees respectfully seek for a continuance of hearty cooperation and the assistance of the Townspeople, the Librarian, and her assistants, in making this library one of real service to the Town of Hopedale. If in any way this Town Department can make itself more useful in this Community, the Trustees and Officers of the Library will appreciate suggestions or criticisms.

ANNA M. BANCROFT,
WALLACE I. STIMPSON,
HARRY A. BILLINGS,
Trustees.

Forty-seventh Annual Report

OF THE

Bancroft Memorial Library

Hopedale, Massachusetts

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932

TRUSTEES

WALLACE I. STIMPSON	Term expires 1933
HARRY A. BILLINGS, Secretary	Term expires 1934
ANNA M. BANCROFT, Chairman	Term expires 1935

LIBRARIAN.

MADELEINE R. BURRILL, May, 1931—

JUVENILE DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT IN CHARGE.

ZETA A. SNODGRASS.

PART TIME ASSISTANTS.

Marjorie E. Arnold

Ingeborg Earnsby

JANITOR.

JAMES H. YOUNG.

SOUTH HOPEDALE BRANCH.

LIBRARIAN.

MISS A. A. CALDWELL, February, 1924—

BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932.

Receipts:		
General Appropriation	$2,700 00	
From Dog Tax	317 68	
		$3,017 68
Income from Funds, Year 1932:		
Bancroft Fund	$98 68	
S. M. Whipple Fund	49 34	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Lura B. Day)	238 96	
Bancroft-Day Fund (Ruth Day Williams)	877 81	
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	852 36	
Frances E. Colburn Fund	437 53	
Interest on Balance	29 87	
Balance from Year 1931	696 11	
		$3,280 66
Total Receipts		$6,298 34
Expenditures:		
Books purchased:		
From appropriation	$1 51	
From Bancroft-Day Fund (R. D. Williams)	326 30	
Bancroft Fund	92 46	
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	48 88	
Bancroft-Day Fund (L. B. Day)	238 96	
		$708 11

From Funds:		
Periodicals	$180 65	
Binding	189 45	
		$370 10
Salaries Paid:		
From Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	$1,193 73	
Frances E. Colburn Fund	437 33	
From General Appropriation	2,062 58	
		$3,693 64
From Funds:		
Removing Ashes	$50 00	
Fertilizer	2 25	
Water	19 50	
Telephone	42 85	
Postage	11 51	
Printing	68 35	
Transportation to South Hopedale	19 00	
P. O. Box Rent	5 00	
Express	3 00	
Supplies	135 50	
Labor	2 00	
Total General Expenses		$358 96
Lighting, Appropriation	$293 46	
Heating, Appropriation	543 80	
		$837 26
Repairs, Appropriation:		
Floors	$33 10	
General	83 23	
		$116 33
Total Expenses		$6,084 40

SUMMARY.

Receipts:		
From Appropriations	$3,017 68	
Paid:		
From Appropriations:		
Books		$1 51
Salaries		2,062 58
Heat		543 80
Light		293 46
Repairs		116 33
		$3,017 68
Receipts:		
Income from Funds	$3,280 66	
Paid:		
From Income from Funds:		
Books		$706 60
Periodicals		180 65
Binding		189 45
Salaries		1,631 06
General Expenses		358 96
		$3,066 72
Balance on hand		213 94
		$3,280 66
Grand Total	$6,298 34	$6,298 34

STATEMENT OF FUNDS.

NAME	DONOR	Date	Purpose	Principal of Funds	1931 Balance Income Dec. 31	1932 Income	1932 Expended	1932 Balance Dec. 31
Bancroft Fund	Joseph B. Bancroft and Sylvia W. Bancroft $1000 Joseph B. Bancroft $1000	Sept. 11 1897 March 9 1910	Books	$2,191.20	$ 6.34	$ 98.68	$ 92.46	$ 12.56
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	Lilla Bancroft Bracken	Oct. 3 1913	Juvenile Books	1,095.60	.34	49.34	48.88	.80
Bancroft-Day Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	July 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	5,305.94	0.00	238.96	238.96	0.00
Bancroft-Day Fund	Ruth Day Williams	July 1 1926	Decided by Trustees	19,491.10	78.10	907.68	816.20	169.58
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	Oct. 28 1914	Decided by Trustees	18,926.30	611.33	852.36	1,432.69	31.00
Frances E. Colburn Fund	Frances E. Colburn	Jan. 16 1919	Decided by Trustees	9,715.15	0.00	437.33	437.33	0.00
Totals				$56,725.29	$696.11	$2,584.35	$3,066.52	$213.94

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

The Librarian respectfully submits the forty-seventh annual report.

We have realized this year a substantial increase in circulation and reference work as have all libraries. 4,050 more books were circulated in 1932 than in 1931, which means that we have reached the zenith in the history of the library. Although our appropriation from the Town was reduced by three hundred dollars our total receipts were not reduced because of a balance from the Fund money. It is difficult to refrain from paying tribute to those who made possible this endowment which is so greatly appreciated in this crisis.

The story hours for the children of the third, fourth, and fifth grades during January, February, and March proved as popular as ever. Mrs. Carroll H. Drown very kindly conducted one of the meetings. During the summer the pupils from grades three through eight read for State Certificates. On October first in the Children's Room, a special story hour was held with Miss Frances Legge of Miss Wheelock's School, as guest story teller. Ten twenty-book certificates and fifty-four five-book certificates were presented by the Librarian. To Dorothy Roberts, who read fifty-five books, a copy of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" was presented and to Kathleen Stead, who also read fifty-five books, "Dicken's Christmas Carol". We felt, as perhaps never before, that the certificates were more truly earned this year because the reviews were heard orally by one of the library staff instead of form questions answered on paper.

The freshman class of the High School came to the library for instruction in its use in October.

For three months namely, April, May, and June, Miss Caldwell, who so efficiently takes care of the work in South Hopedale, had a leave of absence and Mrs. Henry Knights very admirably carried on during this time.

In addition to the annual reference tools several more were added this year as follows: "Who's Who in America", "Statesman's Year Book", two volumes of the "Dictionary of American Biography", two volumes of the "Smithsonian Scientific Series", and "Webster's New International Dictionary" for the adult department. A set of the "World Book Encyclopedia" was purchased for the children's department.

Miss Bancroft and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. B. Draper generously gave us many books of fiction. A set of "Progress of Nations" was presented to the library by Miss Grace M. Dutcher and put on the shelves in the reference room. Mrs. Ayer again sent us a check for $25.00 to be used for much needed children's books.

Miss Ingeborg Earnsby, a senior at the High School, has replaced Miss Ruth Meade, who left the first of September to train for a nurse. Miss Arnold took the six weeks' summer course in Children's Work and Cataloguing at Simmon's College this summer and both Miss Snodgrass and Miss Arnold took a course in story-telling this fall with Mrs. Cronin of Boston. The mid-winter meeting of the Massachusetts Library Club in Boston and the New England Library meeting of one week which was held in Bethlehem, N. H., were attended by the Librarian, while the autumn meeting of the Massachusetts Library Club, which was held in Worcester, was attended by Miss Caldwell and Miss Arnold as well as the Librarian.

I would express my grateful appreciation to the Trustees for their helpful support and to my assistants and janitor sincere thanks for their helpful cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MADELEINE R. BURRILL,

Librarian.

	1931	1932
Total circulation at Main Library and Branch	42,593	46,643
Main Library:—		
Days library open	301	304
Circulation	38,458	42,658
Average daily circulation	128	140
Largest daily circulation	253	277
Smallest daily circulation	40	66
Per cent. of circulation, fiction	82	77
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile	27	25
Total number of visitors to reading room	6,651	6,378
Total number of visitors to children's room	12,633	14,188
Attendance at nine story hours	639	424
Card holders, total number	1,838	1,883
Card holders, registered in 1931 and 1932	122	172
Cards withdrawn	107	127
Volumes in library	17,651	17,907
Volumes added during year:—		
By purchase from appropriation	2	2
By purchase from funds	306	316
By purchase from Gen. Draper money	18	0
By gift, individual	69	34
By gift, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	2	11
By binding	15	43
Volumes purchased to replace discarded copies	10	48
Volumes withdrawn	103	150
Volumes bound	115	209

South Hopedale Branch:—

	1931	1932
Days library open	53	51
Circulation	4,135	3,985
Average daily circulation	78	78
Per cent. of circulation, fiction	65	67
Per cent. of circulation, current magazines	26	25
Per cent. of circulation, juvenile	19	21
Card holders	49	70
Fines collected	$195.46	$189.18

GROWTH, SIZE AND USE OF LIBRARY, 1932.

	Volumes added	Volumes withdrawn	Total Volumes in Library at end of 1932	Volumes circulated	
				Hopedale	So. Hopedale
Fiction	132	74	5,742	34,782	2,667
Juvenile Fiction	57	44	1,782	*8,551	*669
Juvenile Classed	50	30	629	*2,162	*174
General	0		70	173	
Periodicals	36		1,708	2,292	994
Philosophy	3		212	136	17
Religion	3		327	91	9
Sociology	11		576	426	19
Philology	0		42	117	1
Natural Science	3		334	404	7
Useful Arts	10	1	765	576	32
Fine Arts	4		390	609	20
Literature	2	1	1,276	871	21
Foreign Language			180	*33	
Travel	27		871	757	155
Biography	25		1,041	895	43
History	6		1,130	529	
Reference	37		751		
Curiosities			81		
	406	150	17,907	42,658	3,985

*—Included in general circulation.

GIFTS.

	Vol.	Pam.	Per.
American Association for International Conciliation		10	
Ball, Mr. F. E.			2 yrs.
Bancroft, Miss Anna M.	15		1 yr.
Batty, Mr. S. Walter	1		
Bell, Helen G.	1		
Butterworth, Mr. C. F.			1 yr.
Christian Science Publishing Company			1 yr.
Clark, Mrs. F. S.			1 yr.
Clark, Mr. H. B.			1 yr.
Draper, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. B.	91		
Dutcher, Miss Grace M.	10		
Emerson, Edwin	2		
Hopedale High School		3	
Massachusetts Agricultural Experimental Station		21	
Massachusetts, State of	11		
Milford Daily News			1 yr.
Newhall, Mr. E. S.	8		
Northeastern University	1		
Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Dana	2	10	
Our Dumb Animals			1 yr.
Patrick, Miss Lucy	1		
Protectionist			1 yr.
Shanahan, Mr. Charles		2	
Southwick, Mrs. F. A.		8	
Treloar, Mrs. Percival			2 yrs.
United States Government		149	

The library also exchanges annual reports with about twenty-five libraries.

STATISTICS FOR A. L. A.

Printed at the request of the A. L. A. Committee on Library Administration.

Annual report for year ended	Dec. 31, 1932
Name of library	The Bancroft Memorial
City or town	Hopedale, Massachusetts
Population served (town census 1932)	2,995
Terms of use	Free for lending and reference
Total number of agencies	Central library and one branch
Number of days open during the year (Central library)	304
Hours for lending (Central library) / Hours for reading (Central library)	42 hours a week, except July and August 36 hours a week

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes at beginning of year	15,273	2,378	17,651
Number of volumes added in 1932	299	107	406
Number of volumes withdrawn	76	74	150
Total number at end of year	15,496	2,411	17,907

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	26,231	8,551	34,782
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	5,714	2,162	7,876
Total number of volumes lent for home use	31,945	10,713	42,658

Prints, Music rolls	None in library
Music circulation. (Books entirely)	Not separate from rest of 700
Number of borrowers registered in 1932	172 Central library
Total borrowers registered	1,883 Central library—70 Branch
Registration period	During life or residence
Number of newspapers, periodicals currently received	74 Central library—9 Branch
Number of persons using reading and reference rooms	6,378 Central library

Receipts from		Payments for	
Balance (Funds)	$ 696 11	Books	$ 708 11
Appropriations	2,700 00	Periodicals	180 65
Endowment Funds	2,584 55	Binding	189 45
Dog Tax	317 68	Salaries, library service and janitor service	3,693 64
		Heat	543 80
		Light	293 46
		Other maintenance	475 29
		Total Maintenance	$6,084 40
		Balance	213 94
Total	$6,298 34		$6,298 34

GENERAL DRAPER FUND.

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1932	$ 50 82
Received from interest	2 15
	$ 52 97
Expended for:	
Historical Books	$ 00 00
Balance on hand Milford Savings Bank, Jan. 1, 1933	$ 52 97

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